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BRIEF MENTION.

L. Taggart has some important news to tell you in his "ad" this week.

I. O. O. F. Easter Ball at the opera house, Friday evening, April 12th. Be sure you attend.

The Pennsylvania railroad is using the block system the entire distance between Emporium and Harrisburg.

A seven months old child of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Garvin was buried on Tuesday. Rev. McClellan officiated at the funeral.

The popular Chappell Orchestra, of Williamsport, will furnish the music for the I. O. O. F. ball, April 12th. Concert before the dance.

The Borough authorities of Austin are after their water company and propose to compel them to furnish water or surrender their charter.

The Potter Enterprise's Easter issue was a beauty and is hard to beat. Butterworth and his assistants, get up one of the best papers in the State.

Maro, the magician, at the opera house last Friday evening was simply immense and delighted the audience. We are glad to learn he will return next fall.

Dean W. A. Henry of the Agricultural College of the University of Wisconsin, is arranging for an exhibit, the results of the work of that college, at the Pan-American Exposition.

Chief of Police Mundy wants the PRESS to inform reckless bicycle riders that rapid riding on the sidewalks must be stopped or violators of the law will be arrested. A word to the wise should be sufficient. Mr. Mundy is compelled to enforce the laws.

Port Allegany now has the third paper—The Argus—and it made its appearance on Friday last. B. S. Blackman is the editor. We hope the editor may succeed, and admire his "grit" in locating in a town where they have two papers already. The Argus is Republican in politics.

Hon. A. K. McClure has resigned as editor of the Philadelphia Times "owing to existing conditions." Col. McClure was the Times and with his withdrawal that journal will no doubt have to hustle. He stood the Indian warfare longer than his friends thought he would, or could.

The ladies of the Baptist Church will have brown bread, baked beans, and cakes for sale, Saturday afternoon, April 13th, from two to six o'clock, in the church parlors. Any one wishing a particular kind of cake can leave the order with Mrs. C. Jay Goodnough any time before Wednesday, April 10.

The Executive Committee of the Rice Association of America, at a meeting held at Lake Charles, Louisiana, decided to raise at least $10,000 to maintain a rice kitchen at the Pan-American Exposition, at which rice will be served in various forms, showing the value of rice as a staple article of food.

The Bureau of engraving and printing has orders from the Postoffice Department to print the new Pan-American Exposition stamps in the following quantities: One-cent, 71,000,000; two-cent, 100,000,000; four-cent, 5,000,000; five-cent, 8,000,000; eight-cent 3,000,000; ten-cent, 4,000,000; total, 251,000,000.

Carpets.

OUR stock of Carpets, Rugs and Mattings is the largest and most complete in the county. Having anticipated the wants of our customers, we have bought very heavily for this spring's trade. Not only is our stock the largest, in the county, but our customers will get better value for less money here than elsewhere. Now if you need a carpet, come and look our line over. We know we can please you. And as we have said before, the prices are the lowest. An immense line of oil cloth. WALL PAPER.—Large and fine stock.

M. C. TULIS.

A Beauty.

Drop in and see the new picture which Mr. Howard has purchased for the Emmanuel Free Library.

Rich-Wiley.

Invitations are issued by Dr. and Mrs. Thos. C. Rich, of 514 West Fourth street, Williamsport, for the marriage of their daughter Mary Ann to Grant Silas Wiley, of Emporium, on Wednesday, April 10th, at high noon.

Killed by the Flyer.

Last Sunday morning Miss Cora Ely, of Ridgway, was instantly killed by being struck by the "Flyer." She was walking on the track and being deaf did not hear Engineer W. K. Wright blow the whistle.

Notice.

The Board of Health hereby notifies the citizens of Emporium that all houses, cellars, yards, outhouses and alleys must be cleaned and the refuse and garbage destroyed or removed. Garbage, decaying vegetable matter, etc., are dangerous to the public health, and must be removed. The Board will make a tour of inspection in the near future and hope to find this notice complied with.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

April 4, 1901.

Passing of a Famous Woman.

New York, March 28.—The funeral of Mrs. Anna A. Mersereau Steers took place at Garden City, L. I., yesterday, she having died there on Monday. Mrs. Steers was the first president general of the Daughters of the Revolution and was from the time of its organization president of the Dames of the Revolution. She was a descendant of Gov. Bradford. Mrs. Steers was the sister of Mrs. E. Mersereau Newton of this place. Together they edited the "Daughters of the Revolution" for several years.

A Pretty Altar.

Carpenter Fry has just completed a nice altar for the Catholic Church and it was placed in position Wednesday. It is a thing of beauty and reflects much credit on Mr. Fry who is the designer as well as the builder. It is in the natural wood and will only be oiled and stained. The Catholic Church is being fixed up into one of the prettiest in the city. Last Summer it was entirely remodeled under the direction of Father Becker and much work was done on the interior. The congregation is giving the rector excellent support and the latter is exercising a great influence for good in the community. —Port Allegany Reporter. Mr. Fry was formerly a resident of Emporium. Father Becker is well and favorably known here, where he frequently visits his friend Father Downey.

Eldred is Strictly in it.

The business men of Eldred are hustling and determined to make a town of that thriving burg. They have secured a number of industries—a cutlery works, wood working factory and other labor employing plants. Now they have secured a glass factory, and will pipe the gas to their town. A correspondent in last Sunday's Grit says: "A society of about 20 of the expert glass workers from the factories in Kane have formed a company and are going to build a big factory this summer, and have decided to locate it in Eldred. A contract to that effect has been signed between them and the Citizens' Gas company of Eldred, which is to furnish the fuel. The new gas company has made a contract with all the producers of the Coryville field for their entire production, and they will pipe it to Eldred for consumption by both residences and factories. They expect to offer it to factories at five cents per 1,000 feet, in order to induce their location here. Messrs. Gould and White went to Buffalo, Thursday, to try and make arrangements for building a switch to the site. The people of Eldred have to furnish the site and switch to it, free."

DEATH'S DOINGS.

BARR.

The PRESS was shocked to learn of the death of CALVIN M. BARR, at Medix Run, on Monday at 12 o'clock, of appendicitis. The funeral was held from the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Barr, at Huston Hill, yesterday at one o'clock. Deceased leaves a wife and five children to mourn his death. Calvin Barr was a MAN in all that the word implies and his death is a sad affliction to his family and friends. Years ago he was as employee of this office and the editor of this journal, as well as his family, tenders the grief stricken ones their deepest sympathy.

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BUPP.

GEORGE W. BUPP, aged 57 years died at his family residence in Emporium, Tuesday morning at eleven o'clock, after an illness of several months. Deceased was stricken with paralysis last October and lately was feeling better and was able to be in his store in an invalid chair the last few days. On Tuesday while sitting in his cigar store he was again stricken and was carried to his home in an unconscious condition. He never rallied and died within an hour. Deceased first came to Emporium in 1888 and later established a cigar factory, employing a number of men. He was a quiet, unassuming gentleman and paid strict attention to business.

The remains were taken to Wellsville, N. Y., this morning for burial.

Subjects Discussed by Mothers.

A very interesting Mothers' Meeting was held in the High School room, Saturday afternoon, March 30th.

The subject, "how may older pupils be induced to remain in school," was opened by Miss Van Valkenberg and discussed by a number of the mothers.

Mrs. Olmsted read a paper on "home reading for children—its value," after which the question was taken up by a number of the ladies in general discussion. Some very helpful suggestions were given by the speakers.

The third question on the program—"home visitation by teachers"—was discussed from the teachers' standpoint and also from the parents. It was generally conceded that if the teacher could be relieved of some of the work and more time could be given to home visitation great good would result.

Very excellent music was furnished by Mrs. Burnell, Mrs. Beers, Miss Hogan and Miss Taggart. To these ladies the mothers and those who had charge of the meeting are very much indebted for their assistance.

Mrs. Larrabee, Mrs. Olmsted, and Mrs. McNarney were appointed as a program committee for the next meeting to be held April 27th, at 3 p. m.

I. O. O. F. Easter Ball.

Emporium Lodge, No. 984 will give an Easter Ball at the opera house Friday evening, April 12th, 1901, and have engaged the most popular music in this section of the country—the famous Chappell Orchestra, of Williamsport. The ball will be given under the auspices of the Odd Fellows Building Association who are earnestly endeavoring to liquidate the debt standing against their building. The noble order has quietly expended thousands of dollars during the past few years to aid the afflicted and distressed, and often aiding those not having claims upon them. On this occasion they call upon all citizens to lend a helping hand, assuring all that the Easter Ball will be one of the most pleasant events transpiring in Emporium for some time. The ladies of the Rebekah will serve supper on the stage. Tickets for ball, $1.00. Supper tickets, 25 cents. The public cordially invited.

Purchases a New Home.

Rob't C. Dodson has purchased from Thos. Gallagher, the large and commodious dwelling house on East Fourth street, now occupied by Prof. Bastian and family. Mr. Dodson and family will take posession of the same in the near future.

High School Literary Society.

March 29, 1901.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

PROGRAMME.

Piano Solo, - - Eva Leet.

DEBATE.

Resolved—The American Indian was unjustly deprived of its territory.

Affirmative—Fred Heilman, Joe Jordon. Negative—Frank Felt, Clyde McCaslin.

General debate.

Judges decision—Affi. 1. Neg. 2.

Report of Critic.

We are always pleased to see visitors. X. Y. Z.

Borough Council.

Regular meeting Borough Council, Emporium, April 1st, 1901.

Present:—Messrs. Balcom, Nelson, Schweikart, Marshall, Howard, Catlin and Murry. Absent:—Messrs. Shafer and Murphy.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Moved by Mr. Howard, seconded by Mr. Schweikart, that the following bills be paid, being the bills as read, except the bill of St. Marys Gas Co. of which $34 was approved and ordered paid:

St. Marys Gas Co. gas to April 1, 1901..	$34 00
J. H. Vail, services electrical engin'ring,	49 55
Chas. Colson, drying hose,.....	1 00
Dave Wheaton, drying hose,.....	1 00
Frank Wheaton, drying hose,.....	1 00
Thos. Lyons, hauling hose cart,.....	3 00
D. C. Hayes, hauling cinders,.....	2 00
Cameron County Press, printing,.....	3 50
Thos. Cavanaugh, work on streets,....	3 00
A. O. Swartwood, do do	75
P. L. Fry, do do	1 00

Moved by Mr. Howard, seconded by Mr. Murry, that location of lights as shown on maps made by J. H. Vail, be adopted with the addition of light at corner of Walnut street and Allegheny avenue, and Second and Maple streets, and removal of light on Portage street to top of hill. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Howard, seconded by Mr. Schweikart, that plans and specifications be laid over for one week. Carried.

Treasurer's report was read and ordered placed on file.

The appointment of Chas. McDonald, Aug. Whitmer, Jas. Haley and Edwin Fields as Fire Policemen, by Rescue Hook & Ladder Co., for 1901, was confirmed.

Moved by Mr. Howard, seconded by Mr. Marshall, that the Secretary be instructed to place in the hands of the High Constable, for service on the following property owners in the Borough of Emporium, notices to build, rebuild or repair their sidewalks located in front of their respective properties in Emporium Borough, within twenty days after the service of said notice or the said walks would be built, rebuilt or repaired, as the case may be, by the Borough of Emporium, without further notice, and 20 per cent. will be added to the cost thereof, which cost of building, rebuilding or repairing and the said 20 per cent. additional will be charged to and collected from their respective estates. The persons upon whom notices shall be served and the location of the properties and the nature of the work required upon the sidewalks are as follows:

REPAIRS.

Portage street—Geo. Root, Jno. Williams, S. S. Hacket.

Allegheny avenue—A. F. Andrews, F. D. Leet, J. L. Johnson, R. J. Lloyd, L. G. Cook, E. C. Davison.

Third street—F. White estate, Chas. Weller, Seth Hacket.

Fourth street—J. S. Wiley estate, Trustees M. E. Church, Mary Beers, M. M. Larrabee, J. F. Parsons, Thomas Creighton estate, Henry Jessop, Josiah Howard, G. W. Warner, John Coyle, G. J. LaBar, L. Taggart, Odd Fellows Hall, Thos. Gallagher, S. S. Smith, Jno. Schlect, C. M. Thomas, Geo. Metzger at store.

Fifth street, south side—Wm. Robinson, Chas. Butler, E. W. Gaskill, Mrs. R. P. Bingeman, Geo. Seavor, Trustees Baptist Church, Henry Edgcomb, Riley Sampson, L. K. Huntington, Mrs. D. Hamilton. North side—School property, H. S. Lloyd, F. C. Rieck, Geo. J. LeBar, Robert Clark, Mary E. Foultz new walk; Michael Mulcahey, Mrs. Rodgers..

Sixth street—A. H. Shafer. North side—Mrs Kline, Mrs. E. M. Newton, Lester Knickerbocker, J. S. Wiley estate. Sixth and Fifth streets—Philadelphia & Erie Land Co.

Poplar street—H. C. Olmsted.

S. S. Hacket, below hose house.

Broad street—J. P. Felt.

Moved by Mr. Howard, seconded by Mr. Marshall, that street Commissioner and Policeman be employed for another month at same salary. Carried.

Messrs. Schweikart, Nelson and Murry were appointed as a sewer committee.

Moved by Mr. Howard, seconded by Mr. Catlin, that sewer committee be instructed to construct a sewer on Spruce street from Fourth to Fifth St. Carried.

Messrs. Marshall, Howard and Murphy were appointed as a committee on streets and sidewalks.

Moved by Mr. Howard, seconded by Mr. Murry, that ordinance on rubbish thrown on the streets be enforced. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Murry, seconded by Mr. Howard, that council rooms be cleaned and windows washed. Carried.

On motion council then adjourned to meet April 8th, 1901, at 7:30 p. m.

C. JAY GOODNOUGH, Sec'y.

Engraved Work.

The PRESS jobbing department is prepared to furnish engraved cards, wedding invitations or announcements. Call and see samples and learn our prices. Prices reasonable.

WEATHER REPORT.
(Forecast by T. B. Lloyd.)
FRIDAY, Fair.
SATURDAY, Rain.
SUNDAY, Probably fair for Easter.

Notice to Correspondents.

Our correspondents will confer a great favor by having their copy in the hands of the editor not later than Wednesday noon. We are greatly annoyed by letters reaching us Wednesday night and even Thursday noon. Very important news can be received as late as 10:30 Thursday morning, but regular letters should be here earlier to insure publication.

EDITOR PRESS.

A New Emmanuel Church.

For several months past it has been rumored that Emmanuel Episcopalian Vestry were weighing the question of erecting a new church edifice in Emporium to take the place of the one erected in 1868. The new edifice is now almost an assured fact and plans have been adopted. The cost of the building will be about $20,000, constructed of stone. The *Parish News*, published in Emporium and edited by the Rector, Rev. J. M. Robertson, says:

So far as any future human event can be confidently predicted, we are safe in saying that ere another twelve month has run its course, the new church will be an accomplished fact. This good prospect is a matter for rejoicing and congratulation. At a meeting of the Vestry held on March 20th, it was voted to accept a preliminary plan and elevation submitted by Messrs. Cram, Goodhue and Ferguson, architects, of Boston, and the Building Committee was authorized to procure the full working drawings, details and specifications, to receive bids for the contract and report to the Vestry. The preliminary plan provides for a substantial stone building of a total length of 112 feet, including the tower, and 32 feet wide, with a gable addition next to Walnut Street for vestry and choir rooms. The conspicuous external feature of the building will of course be the tower, which will be at the front, and will be large enough to be respectable. It will be 20 feet wide at the base, 16 feet deep, and 50 feet high. The side walls are to be 12 feet high, and the apex of the end gable 30 feet. The addition for the vestry and choir rooms will project 16 feet from the main wall, and will extend out to the street line. The chancel is to be spacious—a very important matter—30 feet deep and almost as wide as the nave. The chancel, aisles of the nave and the vestibule are to be laid with plain tiling (to keep the Sewing Society busy). Very soon after Easter the old church will be moved to the rear of the lot. It will face Walnut Street, and will be placed as far back and as close to the alley line as possible. The services will be held there until the new building is ready for occupancy, and afterwards the old building will be fitted up for a Sunday School room and parish house.

As announced in our last issue, one of the members of the Vestry offered to double all subscriptions (with one exception) to the aggregate amount of $5,000. Since then another vestryman has gone security for the Parish that the $5,000 will be subscribed, so that we are absolutely assured of $10,000. The gentleman who has gone security for the Parish, has done so trusting to the generosity and honor of the other members to bear each one such share of the burden as his means will allow. It is gratifying to add that there have been numerous evidences that this trust has not been misplaced.

Please Take Notice.

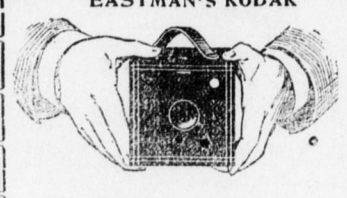
On and after the first day of April anyone having in their possession, or using my bottles for any purpose other than for what they are intended, or any persons offering for sale or buying said bottles, will be prosecuted and punished to the full extent of the law. Please observe this notice.

5-3t F. X. BLUMLE.

MARRIED.

PLOTFER—SMART—At the Presbyterian Parsonage, by Rev. R. McCaslin, March 20th, 1901, David Edwin Platner, of Kane, Pa., and Carrie Louise Smart, of Westport, Pa.

EASTMAN'S KODAK



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Obituary notices over five lines, 10 cents per line. Simple announcements of births, marriages and deaths will be inserted free.

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No local inserted for less than 75 cents per issue.

JOB PRINTING.

The Job department of the PRESS is complete and affords facilities for doing the best class of work. PARTICULAR ATTENTION PAID TO LAW PRINTING.

No paper will be discontinued until arrearages are paid, except at the option of the publisher.

Papers sent out of the county must be paid for in advance.

CURRENT TOPICS.

There is a serious uprising at Teheran, Persia.

Man-carrying kites are now being tried in Germany.

A portion of the old wall of London has been discovered.

Garnets are found in scores of places in the United States.

Inoculation has lowered fatal cases in cholera from 10 to 2 per cent.

The art of manicure had its origin in the convents in France many centuries ago.

Americans in tropical countries eat enormous quantities of quinine to ward off disease.

Pickled pigs' heads are sent from Denmark to Ireland as the food of the poorer classes.

Some of the very valuable products of the Isle of Pines are marble, granite and building stone.

Two hundred violet farms in the United States supply the market for the fragrant violet blossoms.

Among the 2,754 students at the University of Edinburgh last year there were 252 women and 168 students from India.

In spite of the growth of the industry in California, 170,000 tons of coal were landed at port Los Angeles and sent inland last year.

Peers of Great Britain have the right to be hanged with silken cords instead of hempen rope. Few avail themselves of the privilege.

Col. Sharpe, assistant commissary general of the army, is a strong believer in the policy of giving soldiers a liberal supply of sweetmeats.

John Stuart Mill's humorous home version of the "prophet without honor" proverb was expressed in his remark to Caroline Fox: "My family have no idea how great a man I am."

Colorado's one woman legislator, Mrs. Evangeline Hearz, does not neglect housekeeping for law-making. She cooks well, dresses well and has a tidy home for her husband and two boys.

The door by which the President of the republic, the King of Sweden, the Shah and other distinguished visitors were in the habit of entering the Paris Exposition, has been sold for 12 guineas.

It is estimated that the pearl fisheries of Black river, in North Arkansas, have yielded $200,000 worth of marketable gems since the first working of the mussel deposits in that stream in 1899.

The oldest dressmaker's bill was found in the ruins of the city of Nipur, and can not be less than 3,700 years old. It contains the names of 92 vestments given to the temple by the King of Babylonia.

Queen Alexandra has chosen for her private secretary and treasurer Hon. Sydney Greville. He is a brother of Lady Eva Dugdale, who is the favorite lady-in-waiting of the Duchess of Cornwall and York.

The sea cucumber—one of the curious, jelly-like bodies that inhabit the ocean—can practically efface itself when in danger, by squeezing the water out of its body and forcing itself into any narrow crack.

Mrs. Carrie Renstrom and her two sons, George A. Renstrom and R. S. Anderson, of Seattle, Wash, claim to have discovered the lost art of tempering copper to a fineness and strength superior to the finest steel.

George W. Lederer, the theatrical manager, has a scheme for building in New York a duplicate of the big London hippodrome, to contain a circus, a theater and a vaudeville house. He has had an offer of 20 different sites.

Khaki is being superseded among German troops in China by clothing called "feldgrau" (field gray). It is a mixture of bright olive and white, and it is claimed that it is more attractive than khaki, and serves the same purpose.

Dr. Chapot-Revost, who operated for the separation of the Siamese twins, has gone to Vienna to study the case of the Chinese twins now on exhibition there with a circus. The doctor is prosecuting his examination by the aid of the Roentgen rays.

Another piece of the great plan of the city of Rome in marble, the "Forma Urbis" of the time of Sulpicius Severus, has been discovered in the Roman Forum, where it was used to stop a drain. It has engraved on it the plan of the greater part of the Baths of Agrippa, together with the Pantheon.

WE WERE ONCE IMPERIALISTS

When a Democratic Administration Was in Control at Washington.

The bill introduced in the Hawaiian legislature to pension former Queen Liliuokalani recalls opportunely the only attempt of an American administration to enforce an imperial policy.

There was a revolution in Hawaii in 1892, the outcome of which was the overthrow of Queen Liliuokalani and the monarchy, the establishment of a provisional government, and the negotiation of a treaty of annexation with the United States, in which the successful revolutionary party asked for an immediate American protectorate and for prompt annexation.

The treaty of annexation was before the senate, with strong probability of ratification, when it was withdrawn by President Cleveland, March 9, 1893. The president sent a special commissioner to Hawaii, who withdrew the protection of the United States from the provisional government, hauled down the American flag, and presented the ultimatum of the Cleveland administration to the effect that President Dole and his associates should surrender the government to the deposed queen and that the monarchy in all its functions should be restored.

This was democratic policy. Mr. Blount, and afterward Mr. Willis, as representatives of the United States, made attempts to enforce this policy of restoring a monarchy. Threats were resorted to to compel President Dole, of the Hawaiian republic, to consent to the restoration of the queen. He declined to do so and for months the government of the United States stood in an attitude of active hostility toward a people asking for protection and annexation.

The situation became so strained that President Cleveland finally referred the whole matter to congress, recommending, however, that the restoration of the monarchy be insisted upon. The democrats of the house voted to sustain the president. Many of the most influential democrats in the senate declined to do so, and it was only upon the accession of a republican president that Hawaii was annexed.

Had the democratic policy prevailed, Hawaii would not now be a part of the United States. So long as President Cleveland was in power there was danger of civil war in Hawaii because of intrigues among the natives, based on the president's avowed friendship for the deposed queen. But under a republican administration Hawaii was annexed, a territorial government was organized, and the islands, under the American system, have made great progress in education, in agriculture, and in commerce.

The people have a government under which they enjoy the same rights and privileges as American citizens. An American going from San Francisco westward feels, when he steps ashore at Honolulu, that he is on American soil. Eight years ago England, Germany and Japan each contemplated taking possession of the Hawaiian islands, thus despoiling the United States of its strongest outpost in the Pacific. Now no foreign power questions the sovereignty of the United States in Hawaii. This has been accomplished, not under the imperial policy of President Cleveland, but by encouragement to republican institutions in Hawaii under President McKinley.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

ISLANDS BELONG TO US.

Why the United States Must Retain Control in the Archipelago.

President McKinley, in sending Admiral Dewey to capture or destroy the Spanish fleet in the Philippines, had no intention of acquiring that archipelago for the United States. He merely sought to make war most effectively on Spain. Nor when Admiral Dewey, having no other port open to him in that part of the world, and having shattered the only sovereignty there was in the Philippines, remained in Manila harbor, was there any intention on the part of the president to take even the city of Manila as a permanent possession. The Philippines had not been in his scheme of action any more than they had been in the thought of the country. It was a providence, or an accident, according to the point of view, that the most striking victory of the war came at the most unexpected point and time, and with the most unexpected consequences. But events marched fast from May until September, when Secretary Day and the other members of the peace commission went to Paris to negotiate the treaty of peace with the representatives of Spain; and by that time it was evident that, for our own interest in the east, and for the protection of those who had trusted us in particular, and of all the inhabitants of the Philippines in general, we must remain in the archipelago.—Henry B. F. Macfarland, in Atlantic.

☞It is stated at the treasury department that under the new financial law passed a year ago the treasury notes issued under the Sherman law of 1890 in payment for silver bullion have been reduced from $158,451,000 to $55,256,000. As these notes were considered a menace to the gold supply of the treasury their steady retirement means a return to healthier conditions.—Indianapolis Journal.

☞Democratic eulogy of the late Benjamin Harrison suggests there is nothing the bourbon party admires so much as a dead republican statesman. The campaigns of 1888 and 1892 are not so remote that democratic abuse of the man who defeated Grover Cleveland in the first instance and was defeated by him four years later is wholly forgotten.—Minneapolis Tribune.

DONE BY MISCHIEF-MAKERS.

Enemies of the Administration Who Stirred Up Discontent in the Island.

For a long time it has been evident that the discontent existing in Cuba has been fostered by outsiders whose apparent purpose has been to stir up trouble between the embryo republic and the United States. English residents of the island have been accused of thus acting as mischief-makers, but their power is limited and the mischief they could do single-handed would not be very serious. Unfortunately they have received cooperation from other outsiders, including not a few Americans who place partisanship above patriotism and who care not how much harm they may do their own country if they only succeed in putting the administration "in a hole." John Kendrick Bangs, writing from Havana to Harper's Weekly, says: "The alleged discontent of Cubans with American rule grows out of conditions in the United States rather than in Cuba, and is not only to a great degree of the imported variety, but I fully believe is incited by men who have come here for the deliberate purpose of finding things to cavil at in the administration of Cuban affairs, as well as by men who have endeavored unsuccessfully to dominate the governor general, and have received scant consideration at his hands."

This statement is in line with other information received from Havana and other Cuban cities. The large majority of Cubans, including pretty nearly all of the conservative element, realize that Cuba owes an enormous debt to the United States, compared to which the requests made by the American government are modest and moderate. They are inclined to grant these requests and would probably easily persuade the more radical element to their way of thinking were it not for the mischief-makers, both in Cuba and in this country. It is being urged upon the Cubans that as a matter of fact they owe nothing in particular to the United States. After awhile they may begin to accept this view, if the majority of the former revolutionists who exercise complete control over the constitutional convention do not think so already. If the result of the present negotiations shall prove to be the rejection of the requests practically made in the Platt resolution the blame may be safely laid at the doors of the mischief-makers.—Troy Times.

SILVER REPUBLICANS LEFT.

Colorado and Nevada the Only States Where Their Organization Remains.

There has been another and concluding break in the ranks of the only American political party which has the record of never having run a ticket of its own for any office in any state—the silver republicans. The silver republicans of Idaho have formally disbanded, and an address has been issued advising the members of the party to affiliate with the democrats.

The silver republican party was organized at Manitou, Col., in July, 1896. Its executive committee included Senators H. M. Teller, Fred T. Dubois and Lee Mantle, and Congressmen Charles S. Hartman, Edgar Wilson and John F. Shafroth. Subsequently the silver party held a national convention at St. Louis in July, 1896. Congressman Newlands, of Nevada, was the temporary, and Charles A. Towne, then a congressman and since for a brief time a United States senator, was the permanent chairman. Gen. A. J. Warner, of Ohio, a former congressman, offered the resolutions, and John P. Jones, senator from Nevada, read them.

A poll to ascertain the previous political affiliations of the delegates pretended to show 496 republicans, 135 democrats, 47 populists, 12 independents, nine prohibitionists, one nationalist and one greenbacker, representing in all 25 states. Twenty states were wholly unrepresented.

The silverites ran no ticket in any state, allying themselves with the democrats in some and with the populists in others, and with the democrats and populists in a few states. They received meager representation on fusion electoral tickets in the west, but none in the east or south. Before 1900 they had disbanded in most states, since January 1 they have disbanded in the others, Colorado and Nevada excepted.—N. Y. Sun.

OPINIONS OF THE PRESS.

☞Mr. Bryan's paper is not sailing under false colors. Its name is becoming more appropriate every week.—Indianapolis News (Ind.).

☞Mr. Bryan remarks in his The Commoner that the inventor of liquid air has not yet applied for a protective tariff on the new material. How can liquid air interest Mr. Bryan, since it is hot air that he uses?—Albany Journal.

☞One cannot fail to note that senators and representatives who have expressed grave fears of the danger of imperialism under McKinley have promptly accepted commissionerships at $5,000 each at his hands.—Indianapolis Journal.

☞Death has made Benjamin Harrison one of the greatest of presidents in the estimation of the opposition papers which so violently assailed him while he was a candidate for the presidency and while he was the president.—Iowa State Register.

☞Some of the newspapers that were foremost in criticising Gen. Harrison when he was president now have the grace to admit that he was not appreciated at his true worth. That confession does not help Gen. Harrison, whose fame is secure, but it is its own comment on the critics and their criticism.—Troy Times.

CAUGHT AT LAST.

Aguinaldo Is Captured by Gen. Frederick Funston.

The Filipino Chief Is Brought to Manila on Board a United States Gunboat — Plan Followed by Funston in Making the Capture Showed Much Cunning.

Manila, March 28.—Gen. Frederick Funston's daring project for the capture of Aguinaldo in his hiding place in the province of Isabella, island of Luzon, has proved completely successful. Aguinaldo was captured there March 23.

The United States gunboat Vicksburg, with Gen. Funston and Aguinaldo on board, arrived here this morning.

The province of Isabella, where the capture of Aguinaldo occurred, is on the island of Luzon about 200 miles northeast of Manila, and about 75 miles north of Baler, on the eastern coast, which place was made memorable by the capture of Lieut. Gilmore and his party from the gunboat Yorktown in April, 1899. Isabella province is wild and mountainous, especially along the coast where the high range extends for 100 miles or more, the highest point of the range being but a few miles from the shore. Rugged trails in some places but a foot or two in width lead across the mountains, frequently crossed by rushing streams, and where these overflow their banks the trails are waist deep in mud. It was to this uninviting district that Gen. Funston and his small band went a short time ago. It was a part of the island that had never before been visited by American troops.

Gen. Funston's plans as outlined in a dispatch from Manila a few days ago were to make the trip over the mountains to Aguinaldo's hiding place accompanied only by Surgeon Major Harris, Capt. Newton, of the Thirty-fourth infantry; Lieut. Admire, of the Twenty-second infantry; Lieut. Mitchell, of the Fortieth infantry; six veteran scouts and a company of native scouts, all picked men. They were to be landed by the gunboat Vicksburg on a remote beach north of Baler and were to proceed overland guided by a former officer of Aguinaldo, who had betrayed to Funston the Filipino leader's abode.

To deceive the enemy it was arranged that Aguinaldo's representative, who had given the information to the Americans, should lead the native scouts and assume the character of insurgents still loyal to the rebel cause.

They were to make it appear that they had captured Gen. Funston and other American officers of high rank and were taking them into the camp of the insurgent chief to be delivered as prisoners of war.

Then was to come the daring part of the plan. The pretended prisoners were to throw aside their assumed characters and seize Aguinaldo, beat down any opposition that might show itself, and hold their prisoner, no matter how great the peril or how great the forces of the enemy.

To carry out the programme required a long march into the interior, and never-ceasing caution to guard against treachery.

Washington, March 28.—The capture of Aguinaldo will be a source of great satisfaction to the president and his advisers. Coming so soon after the surrenders reported by Gen. MacArthur of prominent Filipino officers and the successful establishment of civil local government by the Taft commission, they feel that the end of the rebellious warfare in the islands is near at hand.

The disposition of Aguinaldo now that he has been apprehended will be an interesting subject for the administration to determine. The possibility of his capture at any time always has been kept in view and that of his future has been a matter of informal discussion by the officials here. It is not believed, however that any definite line of action was ever determined upon in regard to the matter. The attitude of the government for a long time past has been one of comparative indifference to Aguinaldo's capture, it having been determined to crush the rebellion without regard to his whereabouts. His recent activity in directing the operations against the American forces probably brought about the recent change in this attitude.

Smallpox at Des Moines.

Des Moines, Ia., March 28.—Mayor Hartenbower has issued a proclamation requesting that all public schools, theatres and churches and other places of public assembly be closed on account of the prevalence of smallpox. The disease is spreading. There are at least 200 cases in Des Moines now. All the cases are in mild form and no deaths have occurred.

Princeton Wins in Debate.

New Haven, Conn., March 28.—Princeton last night won the annual debate with Yale. The subject of the debate was: "Resolved, that a system of subsidies other than the present mail subsidies, should be adopted by the United States to encourage the shipbuilding and ocean carrying trade." Yale supported the affirmative.

Boiler Inspection a Farce.

Chicago, March 28.—According to City Boiler Inspector Schlack, who testified yesterday at the investigation of the Doremus laundry explosion, which resulted in the killing and injuring of over 50 people, the boiler of that establishment had not been inspected during his term of office, or since March, 1899. The reason for this, he said, was a clerical error. George Ballard, a stationary engineer, created a sensation by stating that during his 30 years' experience he had not seen one boiler or engine honestly inspected in Chicago.

TO FOUND AMERICAN COLLEGE.

Dr. Jenks, of Indianapolis, Will Establish Institution of Learning in Honduras.

Rev. Dr. Joseph S. Jenks, formerly rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church at Indianapolis, and connected at one time with Griswold college in Indiana, left New Orleans the other day with a faculty of teachers and instruments, apparatus and supplies for the establishment of an American college for girls at Santa Cruze de Yojoa, Honduras. Four years ago Dr. Jenks visited Honduras on a pleasure trip, when he found that all the better class of natives wanted their girls to be given an American education and taught the English language, believing that it was the destiny of the country to become some day a part of the United States. Upon the solicitation of leading citizens of Honduras, including two former presidents, Dr. Jenks was induced to open a school at Santa Cruze. The idea of an American education has so spread since then that 28 rich Hondureans have subscribed enough to build an American college for girls, the balance necessary for the operation being given by the government.

Corn Soup.

One can of corn, one quart and two gills of milk, three tablespoonfuls of butter, two scant tablespoonfuls of flour, one large tablespoonful of salt, one-fourth teaspoonful of pepper, one tablespooonful of minced onion, yolks of two eggs. Chop the corn very fine and let it cook in a double boiler with one quart of milk for 15 minutes. Put the butter and onion into a frying pan and cook slowly for ten minutes, then add the flour and cook until smooth and frothy, taking care not to brown it. Stir this into the milk and add salt and pepper, and cook ten minutes. Rub the soup through a sieve and return it to the fire, and then add the yolk and two gills of milk. Let it stand one minute before serving.—Good Housekeeping.

A Watchmaker.

The late Aaron Dennison was called "the father of American watch making." He was interested in his work, because he hoped thereby to benefit his fellow men. Often he worked late into the night, so late that his loving wife would go and beg him to "wait until to-morrow." One night she said to him: "Are you not going to bed at all? What are you doing?" And he turned and slowly answered: "I am trying to make it possible for every poor man to have a watch"—a result which he very nearly accomplished.—Youth's Companion.

California's Treasures.

The California Miners' association has recently published a treatise on the mineral wealth of that state which brings out some facts that are not generally known. Gold, of course, holds the lead, but it will probably surprise many to learn that the value of the quicksilver annually produced in California is 50 per cent. greater than the value of the silver found there, and that even the petroleum output of the state exceeds the silver production in value. Copper and borax rank among the important minerals of California.

Q. E. D.

A man who called himself a "demonstrator" invaded a West Philadelphia boarding house patronized by university students. Hearing of his claims to educational distinction the students tried to draw the newcomer into conversation, and finally he was asked to show what kind of practical work he could do. Immediately the young man pulled out a box of white paste, smeared it on a window pane and polished the glass with a chamois skin. "There, gentlemen," he said, "if anyone can make a clearer demonstration than that let him step up." The students notified the landlady that it was not professional for this kind of a demonstrator to pose in their midst, and the stranger shook the dust from his feet against all in that house and solemnly announced that he left them to do the dust of ages. Turning to a dental student, he exclaimed: "I throw it in your teeth that when I have sold all my territory and am riding in my coach the dust of my chariot wheels shall extinguish you as you trudge along the pave!" With this awful imprecation he took his clothes and went.—Philadelphia Record.

Asking Too Much.

A Louisville man is considered a sort of authority on all literary topics. He is constantly consulted, and recently a dude went after him for information on a certain topic. The man of letters kindly gave it. But somehow or other his dudelets was slow to catch on. He wanted to know the why and wherefore of a lot of things connected with the subject. Why was it thusly, and wherefore was it not so and so? The literary man explained and explained until he grew weary. Finally his boredom and irritation overcame his politeness. "Sir," he thundered, angrily, "you come to me for information on this subject. I give you the facts, but, Heaven knows, I cannot give you the brains to grasp them. You ask too much."—Louisville Times.

A Gentle Hint.—Tommy—"Tell me a story." Uncle—"A story! But I don't know what to tell you a story about." Tommy—"Oh, tell me a story about a little boy who had a good uncle who gave him sixpence."—Pick Me Up.

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FUNSTON'S STORY.

He Tells How He Captured Aguinaldo.

A CUNNING STRATAGEM.

Forged Letters Were Used to Deceive the Pino Chief.

A MARCH IN THE JUNGLE.

For Seven Days the Party of Americans and Macabebes Tramped Toward Ag.'s Hiding Place and Nabbed Him After a Short Struggle.

Manila, March 29.—Gen. Funston, who captured Gen. Aguinaldo, when interviewed Thursday made the following statement concerning the capture of the Filipino leader:

The confidential agent of Aguinaldo arrived February 29 at Pantabangay, northern Luzon, with letters dated January 11, 12 and 14. These letters were from Emilio Aguinaldo, and directed Baldermero Aguinaldo to take command of the provinces of central Luzon, supplanting Gen. Alejandrino. Emilio Aguinaldo also ordered that 400 men be sent him as soon as possible, saying that the bearer of the letters would guide these men to where Aguinaldo was.

Funston secured the correspondence of Aguinaldo's agent and laid his plans. Some months previously he had captured the camp of the insurgent Gen. Lacuna, obtaining Lacuna's seal, official papers and a quantity of signed correspondence. From this material two letters were constructed, ostensibly from Lacuna to Aguinaldo.

One of these contained information as to the progress of the war. The other asserted that, pursuant to orders received from Baldermero Aguinaldo, Lacuna was sending his best company to Emilio Aguinaldo.

His plans completed, Funston came to Manila and organized his expedition, selecting 78 Macabebes, all of whom spoke Tagalo fluently. Twenty wore insurgent uniforms, and the others the dress of Filipino laborers. This Macabebe company, armed with 50 Mausers, 18 Remingtons and ten Krag-Jorgensens, was commanded by Capt. Hazzard, of the Eleventh cavalry. With him was his brother, Lieut. Hazzard, of the same regiment. Capt. Newton, Thirty-fourth infantry, and Lieut. Mitchell, Fortieth infantry, went as Funston's aides. These were the only Americans accompanying the leader of the expedition.

With the Macabebes were four insurgent officers, one being a Spaniard and the other three Tagalos, whom Funston trusted implicitly.

On the night of March 8 the party embarked on the gunboat Vicksburg. At 2 a. m., March 14, the Vicksburg ran in shore 25 miles south of Casiguran, province of Principe. The party landed and marched to Casiguran.

Having arrived there the ex-insurgent officers, ostensibly commanding the party, announced that they were on the way to join Aguinaldo, that they had surprised an American surveying party, and that they had killed a number, capturing five. They exhibited Funston and the Americans as their prisoners.

On the morning of March 17, taking a small quantity of cracked corn, the party started on a 90-mile march. The country is rough and uninhabited and provisions could not be secured. The party ate small shell fish, but were almost starved. Wading swift rivers, climbing precipitous mountains and penetrating dense jungles, they marched seven days and nights and on March 22 reached a point eight miles from Palanan. They were now so weak that it was necessary to send to Aguinaldo's camp for food. Aguinaldo sent supplies and directed that the American prisoners be kindly treated.

The Tagalos went ahead to greet Aguinaldo and the column slowly followed, finally arriving at Palanan. Aguinaldo's household troops, 50 men, lined up to receive the new comers. Funston's men crossed the river in boats, formed on the bank and marched in front of the insurgent grenadiers. The Tagalos entered the house where Aguinaldo was.

Suddenly the Spanish officer, noticing that Aguinaldo's aide was watching the Americans suspiciously, exclaimed: "Now, Macabebes, go for them." The Macabebes opened fire, but their aim was ineffective, and only three insurgents were killed. The rebels returned the fire.

Hilario Placido, one of the Tagalo officers, and a former insurgent major, who was wounded by the Kansas regiment at the battle of Caloocan, threw his arms around Aguinaldo, exclaiming, "You are a prisoner of the Americans."

Col. Villia, Aguinaldo's chief of staff, Maj. Alambra and others attacked the men who were holding Aguinaldo. Placidio shot Villia in the shoulder. Alambra jumped out of the window and attemped to cross the river. It is supposed that he was drowned. Five other insurgent officers fought for a few minutes and then fled.

When the firing began, Funston assumed command and directed the attack on the house, personally assisting in the capture of Aguinaldo. The insurgent body fled, leaving 20 rifles.

Funston secured all of Aguinaldo's correspondence, showing that he had kept in close touch with the subchiefs of the insurrection. It was also discovered that Aguinaldo, January 28, had proclaimed himself dictator.

THREE AGAINST ONE.

Uncle Sam, England and Japan Oppose Russian Land Grabbing Projects in China.

Washington, March 28.—The British government has protested against China making a convention with any power touching territorial or financial affairs until the present troubles in that country are concluded. The fact of the British protest was made known here for the first time yesterday by a dispatch from one of the foreign offices of Europe. The protest was made through Sir Ernest Satow, the British minister at Pekin. Although the Russian agreement is not specifically referred to, it is clear that the British action is directed against the Russian agreement. The language appears to be similar to that used by Secretary Hay in the American protest.

The effect of the British action is to place the United States, Japan and Great Britain in formal opposition to the signing of a convention by China with any power pending the settlement of the Chinese troubles. The course of Great Britain is significant from the fact that that government and Germany have a written alliance relating to Chinese affairs.

There was something of a stir in diplomatic quarters over the report, coming from official sources, that the United States was considering the advisability of addressing Russia directly on the subject. Heretofore the American objections to the Manchurian agreement have been addressed to China. Copies were furnished the Russian authorities, though the protest has been to China and not to Russia.

AN IMPORTANT CONFERENCE.

Banker Morgan Tells Men from the Anthracite Region that There Will be No Strike of Miners.

New York, March 28.—A delegation composed of five men representing trade interests in the Pennsylvania anthracite coal regions, with Rev. Edward S. Phillips acting as chairman, held a conference Wednesday with J. Pierpont Morgan in the private office of Mr. Morgan in this city. The conditions of unrest in the anthracite coal region at present were set forth by Father Phillips, who presented the delegation to Mr. Morgan, and to whom Mr. Morgan expressed his interest in the arrangements and his willingness to make personal effort to prevent a strike, though he declined to hold a public conference with the labor leaders.

Father Phillips asked Mr. Morgan if he would meet John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers, who has been in New York for several days. Mr. Morgan in reply said that his attitude up to the present has been towards the prevention of a strike. He said he was much interested in the mission of the delegation and he assured them that they could rely upon him to do all within his power to prevent any action that would paralyze business. He remarked, however, that he was disinclined to hold a public conference with the labor leaders.

"You may rest assured that I believe there will be no strike," remarked Mr. Morgan.

THE PADDED CENSUS.

Three Marylanders are Arrested for Alleged Complicity in the Frauds.

Washington, March 28.—Director Merriam, of the census bureau, has received information of the arrest of three additional persons in St. Mary's county, Maryland, who, it is alleged, are implicated in the census frauds recently discovered in that county. Two of these persons, Joseph Ching, a lawyer of Leonardtown, and a former enumerator named Goyter, were brought to Baltimore yesterday. The charge against the former is that of aiding and abetting enumerators to make fictitious returns of the population, while that against the latter is padding the returns.

The investigation shows that Gayter returned 198 more persons than were in his district. A telephone message received by the director from Baltimore says the two men were released on $1,500 bail each. Another former enumerator by the name of Bowles was arrested in St. Mary's county, but apparently has not yet been brought to Baltimore. This makes three enumerators in all of the nine who took the census in St. Mary's county who have been arrested.

FOUND IN ABYDOS.

Records of Kings Who Reigned 5,900 Years Ago are Discovered by Explorers in Egypt.

Boston, March 28.—Dr. William C. Winslow, vice president of the Egypt exploration fund, has just received official word that Prof. Petrie has unearthed at Abydos the records of kings before Mena, the founder of the first dynasty, nearly 4,000 B. C. "We have found," writes Prof. Petrie, "the names of Narma Ka, and a king named by a fish sign, perhaps also of two kings, Deb and Sam, of Mena. There are about 30 inscriptions and a heavy strip of gold with the name Aha (Mena). In the tomb of Khasekhemui were found stone vases, each with a gold cap tied on with gold wire. Also two broad bangles of gold, and a dinner service of a dozen pans and dishes, with 160 models of tools in sheet copper. The frequent use of ivory then is witnessed by the discovery of 40 inscribed ivories and stones, and two lions cut in ivory."

A Swift Journey.

Chicago, March 28.—With a ride through Iowa and Illinois that established a new record for passenger travel from Council Bluffs to Chicago, the Chicago Commercial club with its special guests from Boston and other cities, last night brought an 8,000 miles pleasure journey through the Pacific coast states to a close. Ten hours was the time that was taken in hauling the six heavy coaches the last 488 miles of the trip. It beat the record for the eastbound trip of a passenger train over the line by a full hour.

FLOODS IN MICHIGAN.

Raging Rivers Inundate Towns and Cause the Shutdown of Mills and Factories.

Grand Rapids, Mich., March 27.—Grand river last night reached the high water mark of 1893—12 feet 6 inches—and is rising an inch an hour. The Rouge, Flat and Thorn Apple, three big tributaries, are pouring a swollen flood into the Grand river. All the factories along the canal in this city have been shut down and their basements are flooded. A portion of the Ninth ward is flooded. The Pere Marquette railroad bridge is in danger. Hundreds of acres of lowlands along the river north and east of the city are flooded, but as yet no buildings are reported moved from foundations, although many are partially submerged. Crockery creek, a tributary of the Grand, north of the city, is out of its banks.

The big dam owned by the Foster-Winchester Co. at Slocum's, behind which was stored more than 1,000,000 gallons of water, gave way and the road bed, ties and track were torn out for a considerable distance. The water flooded the camp and did great damage along the creek. The Grand Rapids & Indiana railroad men are watching Cedar river at Cedar Springs very closely. The stream is very high and is rising, but the bridge is still above the water. Near Kinney, on the Grand Rapids & Indiana railroad, the water is up even with the ties.

Ionia, Mich., March 27.—The Grand river here rose 20 inches yesterday and is still rising. Portions of the city are four feet under water. Three dams along Maple river went out and the dam at Kidderville also gave way, doing much damage to farm property.

Niles, Mich., March 27.—The St. Joseph river is higher than it has been for several seasons and the water is dashing over the dam in torrents. In consequence of the high water mills No. 1 and 2, of the Niles Board and Paper Co., and French's pulp mill have been obliged to close down and 200 people are temporarily out of employment. Weaver's island is entirely inundated and the house on it is standing in water. The lower South Bend road, just above the mills, is overflowed to the depth of several feet and it is impassable. The home of Frank Johnson, a Big Four section foreman, is surrounded by water to the depth of four feet and the cellars of many other houses in that vicinity are filled with water.

A STUPID PLOT.

Its Author Confesses His Guilt and Tells the Story of a Diamond Robbery.

Kansas City, Mo., March 27.—William Dearduff, 20 years old, a clerk, was arrested Tuesday, charged with stealing $3,100 worth of diamond rings from his employers, Edwards & Sloan, wholesale jewelers. Later when confronted with the rings, which had been found hidden in the basement of the firm's building, Dearduff broke down and confessed. Dearduff also confessed to having sent Mr. Edwards, the senior member of the firm, a letter threatening to kidnap the jeweler's son if he did not produce $1,000.

Dearduff said he planned the robbery by himself and said he had taken no one in his confidence. His idea was simply to steal the tray of diamonds. He accomplished this, he said, during the afternoon of March 11 and hid the rings in the basement. It then occurred to him that he could not immediately negotiate a sale of the diamonds and the scheme to extort money from Mr. Edwards was conceived. The following is a copy of the letter sent to Mr. Edwards:

"We are the men that relieved you of your diamonds the other day. Finding that we are short of funds we ask you to oblige us with the sum of $1,000 in $20 bills. Give it to the clerk Dearduff, and at the hour of 12 to-night have him meet us at the corner of Forty-third and Magee alone. We ask you to send him, for we know him when we see him. Show this to the police or fail in any way to obey orders, and your son George will pay the penalty. We mean business, as you have learned heretofore.

"R. B. J. C."

Edwards had his son guarded while he made up a package of waste paper and sent it by Dearduff to the place indicated in the letter. Dearduff reported that he was met by two men who took the package from him. Later he reported finding the empty tray in the basement and asserted that some one had stabbed him.

TELEPHONE PROGRESS.

An Official Report Shows the Growth of the Business During 25 Years.

New York, March 27.—The annual stockholders' meeting of the American Telephone and Telegraph Co., held in this city Tuesday, marked the twenty-fifth anniversary of the invention of the telephone by Prof. Bell. In a retrospect of the progress since that time, the report of Acting President Alexander Cochrane said:

"Twenty years ago there were 47,886 telephone subscribers in the United States and 29,714 miles of wire in use for teelphone purposes. At the end of last year, there were 808,880 exchange stations equipped with our instruments and 1,951,801 miles of wire were employed for exchange and toll line service.

"The estimated number of daily exchange connections is 5,668,986. The investment in line construction, equipment and supplies for the long distance system up to December 31, 1900, was $16,152,020."

Must Have Second Place.

Lansing, Mich., March 27.—The supreme court yesterday granted a mandamus directing that the democratic ticket be given second place on the official ballot in Ionia county. This is interpreted as deciding that the democratic party is the fusion party of last year. The attorney general and secretary of state had ruled that as there was no democrat vote cast last fall (the party's column then being headed democratic people's union silver party), the democrat ticket must have the last place in the official ballot this year.

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Certain of the Spartan women, it is recorded, hesitated. "If we cut off our hair and give it to the soldiers to string their bows with, how are we to get along?" they protested. "Why we can string our beaux with false hair!" exclaimed the others warmly.—Detroit Journal.

$100 Reward $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Couldn't Give Less.—"Oh, Miss Stone!" the undesirable suitor pleaded, "if you would only give me the least encouragement." "That's what I am doing, Mr. De Trow," replied the haughty beauty. "Good day."—Philadelphia Press.

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Speltz, the Richest Food Out.

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New Legal Term.

A Georgia colonel had a man arrested for "looking mean" at him. The man was fined five dollars for rubbering with intent to scare.—Minneapolis Times.

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Noble Child.—"It was very noble of you, Willie, to plead that your brother be spared a whipping." "I guess I know my business. Every time he gets licked he turns around and licks me."—Philadelphia Press.

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Her Respect.

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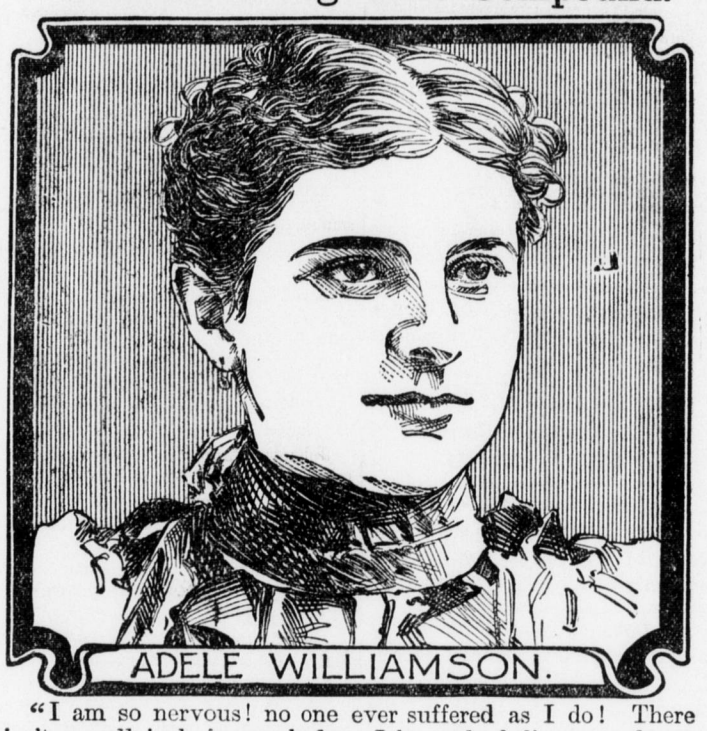
The Wife—Well, that's what he gets.—Detroit Free Press.

It was a Boston girl who described her faithless lover's mouth as "stretching across the wide desolation of his face, the sepulcher of the distiller's output and the geyser of falsehood."—Kansas City Star.

Nervous Prostration.

A Noted Boston Woman Describes its Symptoms and Terrors.—Two Severe Cases Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.



"I am so nervous! no one ever suffered as I do! There isn't a well inch in my body. I honestly believe my lungs are diseased, my chest pains me so, but I have no cough. I am so weak at my stomach, and have indigestion terribly, and palpitation of the heart; am losing flesh; and this headache and backache nearly kills me, and yesterday I had hysterics.

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Lynching may once have been a disease, but it is rapidly becoming a habit.

Well, everybody will now concede that Grover is the greatest ex-President in the country.

Why doesn't some real enterprising editor invite Boni to come over and edit his paper for a week. Boni might be glad of the money.

The Democrats are declaring how much they admire General Harrison. Times have changed since the old days of the so-called force bill.

Poor "antis". The Philippines are so quiet that they can't find anything to grumble over, and even Cuba seems about to accept the protection offered to her and be good.

Why not extend that "Cabinet on Wheels" idea by shipping Congress to the Philippines in a big steamer that will allow speechmaking to go on en route?

China has declined to yield Manchuria to Russia. Now we shall see whether Adamzad wants that country badly enough to fight for it.

Bryan will only bring himself into greater contempt than ever by such attacks as his latest on Mr. Cleveland. To offer an ex-President of the United States $5 for an article may be funny in Nebraska but it is ridiculous elsewhere.

Milkmen in many parts of the country have taken a hint from the footpads, and have adopted rubber boots so as not to disturb their customers unnecessarily. They are also a protection from water.

It is reported that the President did not know that Representative Rodenburg had voted to starve out the civil service commission only a year ago, when he appointed him to a post on it. It is possible that the appointment may be revoked.

Secretory Root may go to Manila his summer in order to study the conditions there for himself. No written or verbal report can take place of personal investigation and it is to be hoped that the Secretary's plan will not be allowed to fall through.

The Philippine Information Society, and "anti" association, after careful investigation has admitted publicly that the war in the Philippines was started by the natives. Its members haven't apologized for past falsehoods on the subject, however.

Educational tests are things that two people can play at. How would the Democrats like it if the Republicans should adopt the Maryland qualification in New York, disfranchising about one-half of Tammany's foreign support in the greater city?

Great Britian's reasons for refusing to accept the Hay-Poncefore treaty as amended, strike us as being merely a variation of the old bargaining customs that won her the title of a nation of shopkeepers. She wants to know what we'll give to boot. Possibly, she will find out.

ALL AROUND THE COUNTY.

Sterling Run Tannery News.

The Buffalo club is all the rage at the Run.

George Dillen who has been on the sick list is able to be out again.

Wonder what the attraction is for the Sterling Run girls at the tannery.

Mr. Dennis Donovon, of Emporium, passed through this place on Monday.

Miss Millie Berry and Miss Flossie Bunce visited their aunt, Mrs. L. W. Spence, at Buckwalter, this week.

James Berry left on Monday for Sizerville where he will work in the woods.

Miss Nannie Spence, of More Hill, visited relatives at this place over Sunday.

Mr. Sam Hess and Mr. Shoem, who have been employed at the tannery have moved their families to Kunkle, Luzerne county.

Sizerville.

Editor Press:—

We have mud some days and snow some days.

Ira Ayers has rented E. D. Sizer's farm.

Miss Mattie Collins made our school marm an official visit. She is a pleasant lady to meet.

H. C. Crawford has started his mill. He has let it to M. C. Arnott, of Roulette. Matt was a resident here, back in the sixties.

Johnnie Burge is head man in the mill. Mother and him live alone.

H. W. Marntindale was called to Philadelphia on account of the serious illness of his sister.

Ed. Sizer has a new shot gun and a punching bag. He says his muscle will be developed soon.

Ezra Smith is clerking for W. R. Sizer. He is a very efficient hand.

Constable Wygant is keeping an eye on the fish poles. It will not be healthy for any one to be caught with any trout before the 15th.

There is considerable talk of drilling another well on Sizer Run, near the one that was so strong with gas. We hope the work will commence at once as there was such good indications at the last.

Charley Weller has had his share of trouble lately. He fell down stairs and broke his ribs, thieves broke into his barn and stole his harness and robes. He says "I fix em ven I gets arount."

Hart Bros. have sold their livery to Mr. Fitzgerald, of Austin. Norris & Farley will have some lively competition.

KIT.

First Fork.

Editor Press:—

Farmers have started the spring campaign of plowing.

'Aint it about time for the ground-hog to let up on us a little?

The April fools, peepers and toads have showed up again.

Barclay Bros.' drive "hung up" Friday night near Mahon Bros' landing.

Dr. Colcord disposed of a couple of valuable cows last week. If the price received is any indication.

Mac Logue's house was on fire on the roof Friday, during a stiff gale, but by the help of some passing people was put out.

Haley Bros. have taken the contract to cut and peel the hemlock in Brooks Run and are on the ground already. It is estimated at 15,000,000 feet.

A Hungarian was nearly scalped on Sunday by falling off a hand car, while intoxicated. He was sent to Austin hospital after being "fixed up" by Dr. Colcord of this place.

A big fire at Blowville on Friday night destroyed the St. Elmo Hotel and opera house, belonging to Mrs. Powers, of Austin and the drug store building close by. Hotel was insured but did not hear the amount.

April 1st, 1901.

Mason Hill.

Editor Press:—

Take care of your life and the Lord will take care of your death.

Maud Williams is doing house work for Mr. W. W. Marsh.

Wm. Wheaton came up on Saturday to see his sick child.

Geo. English made a flying trip to Benezette on Monday.

Huntley Miller left on Monday for Medix Run, where he will engage in work the coming summer.

Mrs. C. M. Bailey was in Enterprise Saturday, visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. O. S. Bailey, who has just returned from Williamsport hospital, where she underwent a successful operation for appendicitus.

Dr. Corbett paid a professional visit on the Hill Friday, to see the sick child of Mrs. W. Wheaton.

Mrs. Mel. Hamilton from the west, is at present visiting her father, Mr. Geo. Tanner.

Elder S. Ebersole filled his appointment at the school house last Sunday and gave a very able discourse on "Reading and Studying the Bible in our Homes," and if all who heard him, would follow his advice, and read their Bibles, all of us, lovingly, faithfully, constantly, we should have a generation of strong and spiritual christians, when our boys and girls grow up.

We have just received the sad news of the death of Calvin Barr, on Monday, at Medix Run, the eldest of the family of A. H. Barr, on Huston Hill. From what we can learn he had only been sick since last Friday with appendicitus. Two doctors from DuBois and Dr. McGarrick, of Medix Run performed an operation and he never rallied and died before they had finished. He leaves a wife and five children, father, mother two sisters and one brother to mourn his untimely death. He was a man greatly beloved by everybody and especially his own folks.

Another birthday surprise. This time it being at the home of Mrs. Jacob Miller, it being her 68 anniversary. A number of her relatives and friends came with eatables and presents and enjoyed the day hugely. Those from off the hill were: Mrs William Smith, Mrs. Frank Sterling, (sisters), Sterling Run; Mrs. J. G. Smith, (sister), Huntley; Mrs. A. S. Bailey, (sister-in-law); John Williams, (nephew), Huston Hill; Mrs. C. W. Williams, Mr. C. J. Miller (children), Miss Maud Williams, (grand-child); Mr. David Marsh, Mrs. C. M. Bailey, Mrs. Mrs. E. G. Hicks and J.M. English and wife.

Wyside.

Editor Cameron County Press:—

McKinley times is what we like.

Business is booming here now and everybody is happy.

John Huft and crew have returned from the log drive.

The mills and logjobs of Barclay Bro's employ about 300 men.

The roads on this side of the creek are almost impassable.

The log train commenced hauling logs from Zirces Run, Monday.

Pap Blodget is news agent for the North American, at this place.

The shingle mill will begin operations sometime the first of next week.

The wood mill is again running full blast, after making some repairs.

The First Fork drive hung up at Burlingame's on occount of low water.

W. F. Shade is around again. He had a badly bruised foot and leg.

W. L. Barclay is at his accustomed place in the office, after a briet illness.

J. R. Batchelder has added another fine cow to his stock, making 14 head.

Isaac Floyd brought the log engine up from Renovo, the first of the week, where it underwent repairs.

G. H. Wykoff will run a log engine at Hyner, where he has gone, for B. V. Wykoff, this summer.

Pap Blodget is going to erect a new shoe shop, sell fresh roasted peanuts and give accommodations to the S. L. C.

Joel Speaker, blacksmith for Barclay Bro's, was on the sick list a few days and G. W. Gore occupied his position during his absence.

Barclay Bro's will erect camps this month, for bark peeling. They will cut 1,500,000 feet in Lick Island Run and 10,000,000 feet in Zirces Run this season.

The L. C. is taking in new members at every meeting, and as several parties were out fishing last Sunday, we may look for some whoppers, if the fish Warden don't get them before the next session.

Cameron.

D. C. Lininger intends to go to Austin soon.

Ray Smith of Black Pole, was in town Friday.

Dr. S. S. Smith was in town one day last week.

Ed. Chalmers made a business trip to Emporium, Saturday.

Levi Smith transacted business in Johnsonburg last week.

Daniel Sullivan is now night foreman on the P. & E. railroad.

B. E. Osborn is making improvoments on his residence on Fourth street.

Mr. J. Kephart visited his daughter, Mrs. A. F. Walker one day last week.

Mr. Charles Penington has moved his family from Emporium to his farm on Oak Hill.

Mr. S. Coudriet has returned from Cowley Run where he has been at work in the woods.

Warren McConnell offers a reward of $100 for the arrest of the person or persons who stole the wheel of off his truck.

Ed. Chalmers intends locating in Buffalo soon, where he has secured a position at the Pan-American.

Boys you must not get too gay when you are in the P. O., or Uncle Sam may get after you, and then you may be sorry.

M. H. Morse was home from Big Run one day last week, where he has a large log job. M. H. is an experienced lumberman.

E. H. Lininger has resigned his position with Warren McConnell and intends leaving us shortly. He has accepted a position at Weedville, Clearfield county in the post-office at that place.

We learn that John J. Snyder has taken unto himself a wife and has taken up his residence at Weedville, where he is engaged in business. John will be pleasantly remembered by our older residents.

Rich Valley.

Editor Press:—

North Creek is booming.

Henry Carter is working for Albert Wright.

Randolph Lockwood built a new wood shed this week.

Elmer Marshall is now working on log loader No. 2.

Clive said that chicken roast was all right. Who was the cook?

A warm sugar party is to be held at Lafayette Lockwood's Friday night.

Misses Flossie and Virginia Housler visited the Misses Ruby and Oma Lewis last week.

MAGGIE.

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LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Contributions invited. That which you would like to see in this department, let us know by postcard or letter, personally.

John O'Byrne has gone to Pittsburg.

Chas. Hockley is home from State College.

John L. Beaedsley is dead at Lock Haven.

J. F. Parsons, Esq., visited Lock Haven, this week.

Miss Grace Leet returned home last Thursdsy, from school.

Mrs. Anna Terwilliger is quite seriously ill with pneumonia.

C. W. Barr, of Gibson, called on Emporium friends last Monday.

N. Seger visited St. Marys on Tuesday to attend the funeral of a friend.

Hon. J. C. Johnson visited with his son Fred at Philadelphia over Sunday.

Attorney Samuel Smith, of Port Allegany, was in Emporium Wednesday evening.

Miss Ethel Waddington left yesterday for Buffalo, where she will remain some time.

Fred Yonkers departed on Tuesday for Ohio, where he accepts a more lucrative position.

Edward Stahly, of Westfield, a practical plumber, has entered Mr. E. S. Murry's employ at this place.

Victor Ellis who is employed in the glass works at Kane, visited his parents at this place, last week.

Riley Warner and family have moved into the house recently occupied by Mr. Pott, on Sixth street.

George Howard has returned from Cheshire, Conn., where he has been attending school, to visit his mother and brothers.

Lewis Hopple, formerly a resident of this place was calling on old acvuaintances in town on Monday and Tuesday.

John Sloan, of Olean, visited in Emporium over Sunday, guest of J. P. Felt. Mr. S. has charge of Mr. Felt's Olean mills.

Max Balcom will call on our citizens in the near future in the interest of "Our Food" Publishing Company, of Williamsport, Pa.

Rev. Metzler returned last evening from Conference. Rev. J. M. Johnston was returned to Austin and Rev. Shriner to Bellefonte.

Laura the two year old daughter of Leonard Evans who has been ill with pheumonia is rapidly improving under the care of Dr. Heilman.

Chas. H. Felt, who has been threatened with typhoid fever, is improving, Dr. Baker, the attending physician believing he has broken up the disease.

J. P. Felt returned on Saturday from Florida, where he and his family have been passing the winter. His wife and children will not come home until May.

Chas. Gleason, the Boston representative of L. R. Gleasons & Sons, arrived in town on Tuesday evening to look after the interests of the firm and visit his many friends.—Driftwood Gazette.

Edwin Floyd, of Erie, shook hands with Emporium friends on Monday.

Mrs. Edwin J. and Miss Minnie Rogers are visiting relatives at Colesburg, Pa.

Miss Mildred Douglas, of Olean, came over last Sunday to visit Mrs. S. L. Stoddard and family.

A. W. Georgie, of Olean, formerly a resident of Emporium, was transacting business in town on Monday.

Edwin Cook came over from Port Allegany on Monday to look over town and visit his many friends.

Theo. Hudson came down from Johnsonburg on Sunday and visited his many friends in town until Monday evening.

Mrs. John J. Hinkle arrived from Phladelphia on Monday to visit her parents and assist them in moving from the Warner House.

Geo. R. McCrea and James Murphy, of Renovo, were in town last Monday and we are informed, located three new wells, the drills to start at an early date.

D. W. Morton and wife, of Buffalo, have been visiting relatives in this section for several days. Mr. Morton, who is a steady and reliable man is now passenger conductor on Buffalo division.

Dean Fredericks, Esq., of Flemmington, Pa., came to Emporium last Friday "to witness the Maro entertainment," but from all accounts his eyes wandered in the direction of the High School building. He remained over Sunday.

Harry Mitchell and wife, Frank Richardson and wife, L. W. Gleason and wife, John Gleason and wife, Miss Mattie M. Collins, Dr. Corbett and Prof. Woodward, of Driftwood, attended the Maro entertainment, at this place, last Friday evening.

The many friends of Geo. W. Towers and family, of Driftwood, will be pained to learn that the fire demon visited them last Friday morning, destroying all their household goods. Mrs. Towers and children escaped from the burning building but had a very close call.

Messrs. Theis Butler and Pearson Fry of Emporium, were calling on friends in town last week.....R. J. McSwan the oldest employee in the history of the B. & S. R. R., has purchased the D. E. Smith property on upper Main street, and moved to the same. "Roary" has been pulling the throttle on a Lima out of Blowville the past several years, and will now take a promotion to the main line, down along the Sinnamahoning.....John Edelman, of Emporium, was calling on friends in town the last of the week.—Austin Autograph.

LOCAL NOTICES.

N. Seger leads 'em all.

Gents traveling cases at Bedard's.

Rich and poor can be suited with carpets at LaBar's.

Canned Pine Apple in chunks, packed in Singapore, at Balcom & Lloyd's. Very Fine.

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Bedard, the Tailor, has just received the very latest styles in neckwear and they are fine. Also a line of hosiery that will please the most fastidious. See them at once.

Just received at Balcom & Lloyd's "Salada" Ceylon Tea. Wholesome and delicious.

No establishment in this section of the State can excell the elegant assortment of goods now displayed in R. Seger & Company's merchant tailoring store. Their popular make of clothing are going to many counties, and the inducements this spring are numerous and bound to please. While goods have advanced the popular low prices will be adhered to and satisfaction guaranteed.

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CARPETS—CARPETS.—Ninety different patterns to choose from. All new and up-to-date. Call in and see them whether you want to buy or not; no trouble to show goods.
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FOR SALE.—An eight room dwelling house on North side of Fifth street, in Middle ward, for sale. Gas, water, tile sewer and good cellar. Apply to
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ARE YOU SIXTY-FIVE YEARS OLD?—I will make every person in Cameron county, that is sixty-five years old, or over, one cabinet photograph free of charge. This offer is only good until the 1st of May. Take advantage of it at once. W. G. BAIR, Proprietor,
5-2t Schreiver's Art Gallery.

Bedard's second invoice of fine cloths for his merchant tailoring branch are now on display. They are the latest.

Jasper Harris' new line of clothing, trunks, etc., are just what you want and the prices are within the reach of all. One price to all.

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Sterling Run.

Editor Press:—

"Are you a Buffalo?"

Sclool will close in a few days.

Wonder what Tom Moore will take for his clock?

Hank's latest beats the fence post. Have him tell it.

John Pepper has been quite ill but is some better at this writing.

John Anderson is putting a new picket fence in front of his residence.

W. E. Summerson visited Sinnamahoning friends Saturday and Sunday.

C. B. Potter, agent for fruit trees and a bug sprayer was in town Tuesday.

We would advise the Tannery correspondent that McKinley does not scare at rats.

Some of our boys got at the wrong end of the fool on the 1st and there came near being some practical fools.

M. W. Whiting is home from Ligonier, where he has an extensive lumber job with County Treasurer Thomas.

From remarks made to young girls by trainmen and loafers around the depot, it would be well for parents to heed the advice of our best citizens, to keep their girls away from that locality. It is simply terrible.

COOL DAN.

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C. C. Craven made a trip to Emporium Sunday.

Mrs. Wright and daughter Nellie, of Erie, visited Mrs. Herrick at this place last week.

James Furlong made a flying trip to Emporium Sunday.

Miss Nettie Kissel visited Mrs. Ed. Morse at Emporium last week.

Miss Anna Mason visited friends at Huntley Saturday.

Mrs. Julia Earl returned Saturday from visiting friends in Emporium.

Euen Marshall and Miss Grace Devling enjoyed a trip to Emporium Friday.

We understand that Prof. Peterson is preparing for a reception at his home for his pupils next Friday evening.

Wedding bells will ring on Easter.

Rev. Piper will preach his farewell sermon next Sunday.

Mrs. J. Kissel visited her sister Mrs. Towers at Driftwood, Saturday.

TRIXY.

Huston Hill.

Editor Cameron County Press:

C. J. Miller was guest of John Williams the latter part of the week.

Miss Francena Furby and Miss Florence Hicks and sister Cora were guests of John Hicks over Sunday.

Mrs. Josephine Barr has gone to Medix Run to attend her son who is very ill.

John Williams who has been visiting friends here for some time has gone to Medix Run to spend the summer.

Mrs. Chas. E. Barr has returned from Sinnamahoning.

GUESS.

THE STATE CAPITAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIALION,
of Harrisburg, Pa., desires an Agent and Attorney in Emporium.
This is a domestic association operating through Central Pennsylvania. It is a little more than three years old with assets of nearly 500,000.00. Its dividends have been 6 per cent. on non-participating and 10 per cent. on full participating stock. It has had no losses and has an active demand for loans. It is strong, clean, vigorous and successful. Non-participating stock is sold at $100.00 per share, dividends 6 per cent., tax free. Full participating stock with 5 per cent. cash dividends if desired, at payments of 25 cents to $2.00 per month. Loans are made on a simple and definite plan; payments per $1,000.00 shares range from $10.00 per month to $27.50, time from 44 to 189 months.
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Emporium, Pa.

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That's nothing wonderful except for the fact that the soft coal region of Pennsylvania is pretty hard on paint with its oil, smoke and grime. All we see in it is that Devoe is good for nine years sometimes. There are thousands of people that know it, and millions that don't.

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Three-quarters of the people paint lead and oil mixed by hand; while the U. S. Government use lead, zinc and oil ground together by machinery—same proportions as Devoe lead and zinc. The majority never is right about anything.

Yours truly,
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Dr. Janes of the N. Y. Board of Health says:
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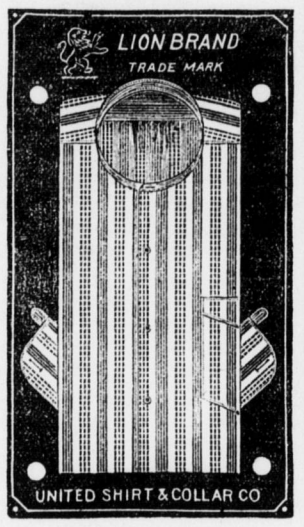

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EMPORIUM. - - - PA.

ONE YEAR.

One year ago to-day, beloved,
God gave thee angel-wings
That thou might'st soar to realms above
Where angels walk and seraph sings.

Whom hast thou seen these months, beloved,
In that dear land so bright?
Did loved ones meet thee at the gate
With raptures of delight?

What has thou done these months, beloved?
Where hast thou daily wrought?
Full well I know, with loving deeds
Each moment has been fraught.

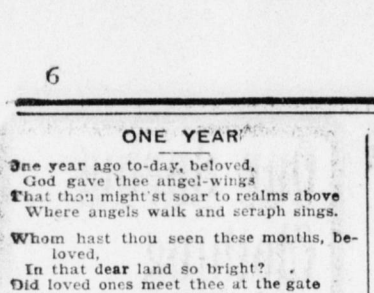
Hast thou been oft with me, beloved,
On comfort mission sent?
Hast o'er my tear-wet couch at night
In tender pity bent?

Would I could lay my cheek, beloved,
Close up to thine once more;
And tell thee all within my heart,
Just as I did of yore.

And thou couldst speak to me, beloved,
Of all the visions rare
That dawn upon thy wond'ring sight
In yonder mansions fair.

But God's sweet will be done, beloved.
In patience will I wait
'Till His own hand shall lift the latch
That opes the "pearly gate."

And thou with radiant smile, beloved,
Wilt haste to meet me there.
What seems my cross will prove my crown
When Heaven with thee I share.
—Lizzie L. Baker, in Chicago Standard.



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CHAPTER XXII.—CONTINUED.

"Up to this afternoon at five no trace of them has been found," said Loring. "Day after to-morrow that safe-opener should reach us. If you have influence with Col. Stevens you should urge him to have a guard at the quartermaster's depot, even if he had to strip the fort. The general cannot be reached by wire."

"Why?" asked Folsom, looking up in alarm. "You don't suppose he'd come back to rob his own office?"

"He is not the man to take a risk, but there are those with him not so careful, and the hand that sent Birdsall's gang in chase of Dean could send them here, with the safe-key. Those few clerks and employes would be no match for them."

"By heaven, I believe you're right!" cried Folsom. "Which way are you going now?"

"Back to the hotel by way of the depot," was the answer. "Will you go?"

"One moment. I do not travel about just now without a gun," said Folsom, stepping within doors, and even the low sound of their voices died away and all was still as a desert. The old trader did not return at once. Something detained him—Miss Folsom, probably, reasoned the engineer, as he stood there leaning on the gate. Aloft a blind creaked audibly, and, gazing upward, Loring saw a dark, shadowy shutter at the third-story window swing slowly in. There was no wind to move it. Why should human hands be so stealthy? Then a dim light shone through the slats, and the shade was raised, and, while calmly watching the performance, Loring became aware of a dim, faint, far-away click of horse's hoofs at the gallop, coming from the north. "If that were from the eastward, now," thought he, "it might bring stirring news." But the sound died away after a moment, as though the rider had dived into sandy soil.

Just then Folsom reappeared. "I had to explain to my daughter. She is most reluctant to have me go out at night just now."

"Naturally," said Loring, calmly. "And have you been way up to the third story? I suppose Miss Folsom has gone to her room."

"The girls have, both of them—but not to the third story. That's Mrs. Fletcher's room."

"Ah, yes. The woman, I believe, who accidentally scared your horse and threw you?"

"The very one!" he answered. "I'm blessed if I know what should have taken her out at that hour. She says she needed air and a walk, but why should she have chosen the back-gate and the alley as a way to air and sunshine?"

"Would you mind taking me through that way?" asked the engineer, suddenly. "It's the short cut to the depot, I understand."

"Why, certainly. I hadn't thought of that," said Folsom. "Come right on."

And so while the hoofbeats up the road grew louder, the two turned quickly back to the rear of the big frame house. "That coming horse brings news," muttered Loring to himself, as he turned the corner. "We can head him off, but I want to see this situation first."

Looking away southeastward from the porch of Folsom's homestead, one could see in the daytime a vista of shingled roofs and open yards, a broad valley, with a corral and inclosures on the southern edge of the town, but not a tree. To-night only dim black shadows told where roof and chimney stood, and not a sign could they see of the depot. Loring curiously gazed aloft at the rear and side windows of the third story. "They command quite a view, I suppose," said he, and even as he spoke the sash of the southeast room was softly raised, the blind swung slightly outward. That woman watching and listening again! And it was she whose sudden and startling appearance at the rear gate had led to Folsom's throw so early the morning. Burleigh and his mysterious friend were found missing from their quarters just after dawn—the very morning Dean, with his treasure package and little escort, rode forth from Emory on that perilous mission—the very morning that Birdsall and his murderous gang set forth from Gate City in pursuit.

And now those hoofbeats up the road were coming closer, and Folsom, too, could hear and was listening,, even while studying Loring's face. Suddenly a faint gleam shot across the darkness overhead. Glancing quickly upward, both men, deep in the shadow, saw that the eastern window on the southern side was lighted up. Out in the alleyway low yet clear, a whistle sounded—twice. Then came cautious footsteps down the back stairs. The bolt of the rear door was carefully drawn. A woman's form, tall and shrouded in a long cloak, came swiftly forth and sped down the garden walk to the rear gate. "Come on, quick!" murmured the engineer, and on tiptoe, wondering, the two men followed. They saw her halt at the barred gate. Low, yet distinct she spoke a single name: "George!" And without, in the alley a voice answered: "I am here! open quick!"

"Swear that you are alone!"

"Oh, stop that damned nonsense! Of course I'm alone!" was the sullen reply, and at the sound of the voice Loring seemed fairly to quiver. The gate was unbarred. A man's form, slender and shadowy, squeezed in and seemed peering cautiously about. "You got my note?" he began. "You know what's happened?"

But a woman's muffled scream was the answer. With a spring like a cat Loring threw himself on the intruder and bore him down. In an instant Folsom had barred the gate, and the woman, moaning, fell upon her knees.

"Mercy! Mercy!" she cried. "It is all my fault. I sent for him."

"Take your hands off, damn you, or you'll pay for this!" cried the undermost man. "I'm Capt. Newhall, of the army."

"You're a thief!" answered Loring, through his set teeth. "Hand over the key of that safe!"

The sound of hoofbeats at the front had suddenly ceased. There was a sputter and scurry in the alley behind. Full half a dozen horses must have gone tearing down to the east. Other lights were popping in the windows now. Folsom's household was alarmed. Attracted by the scream and the sound

"Don't shoot! I'm Ned Lannion."

of a scuffle, a man came hurrying toward them from the front.

"Halt! Who are you?" challenged Folsom, covering him with his revolver.

"Don't shoot. I'm Ned Lannion—just in from the ranch. Have you heard anything of Hal, sir?"

"Of Hal?" gasped Folsom, dropping his pistol in dismay. "In God's name, what's wrong?"

"God only knows, sir. Mrs. Hal's nigh crazy. He's been gone two days."

CHAPTER XXIII.

Five days later the women and children from Warrior's Gap, most of them bereaved, all of them unnerved by the experiences of that awful day, arrived at Fort Frayne, escorted by a strong command of infantry and all that was left of the cavalry troop at the stockade. A sad procession it was as it slowly forded the Platte and ascended the winding road to the post, where sorrowing, sympathetic army women met and ministered to them. With them, too, came such of the wounded as could be moved, and at the head of the little squad of horse rode Lieut. Dean, whom the post commander and several officers greeted almost effusively.

Yet almost the first question was: "Did you see any Indians?"

"Not one," answered Dean. "They seem to have drawn away from the Big Horn road entirely. Why do you ask?" he added, anxiously.

"There were signal fires out at Eagle Butte last night, and I've just had a letter from old Folsom at the ranch on the Laramie. He begs us to send a guard at once and I haven't a horseman. There's been the devil to pay at young Folsom's place."

Dean's face went a shade paler. "What's happened?" he asked.

"A dozen of his best horses run off by Birdsall's gang, probably to replace those they lost in the flood, and Hal himself was shot and left for dead in the hills. He'd died but for an Ogallalla girl and a couple of half-breeds who had a hunting-lodge out near the Peak. There are letters for you at the office."

There were two—one from Loomis, at Emory; one from Jessie, of all places in the world, at Folsom's ranch. This he read first.

"We got here late night before last, after such an exciting journey, Marshall dear," said she, "and I can't begin to tell you all the strange things that have happened, for Mr. Folsom says the messenger must start fo. Fort Frayne in twenty minutes. That villain, Maj. Burleigh, who dared to speak ill of you, turned out to be as bad as I ever said he was. They haven't caught him yet, but they've got Capt. Newhall. Mr. Folsom and Mr. Loring did that—caught him in the back yard of our house, down by the gate, and in some way Mrs. Fletcher induced him to come there, for he had the key to the safe at the quartermaster's depot, and was going to get the money Maj. Burleigh dared not take when he fled. I can't understand it at all, and Pappoose doesn't like to talk about it. But Mr. Folsom was robbed of lots of money by Maj. Burleigh. Mrs. Fletcher is mixed up in it in such a queer way, I can't explain now. She was nearly crazy when we came away, and Mr. Folsom was so good and kind to her, left a nurse with her, and made her stay at the house, although she wanted to pack her things and go to the hotel or the jail, she didn't care which; but he wouldn't let her.

"And right in the midst of it all Ned Lannion, who came with news before, galloped in to tell how Halbert Folsom had been missing two days, and Mrs. Folsom was crazy with fear, so Mr. Folsom left Lieut. Loring to attend to all the matters about the robbery and started at once for the ranch, and Pappoose, of course, insisted on going with him, and I would not be left behind. And here we are. Now I can see the hills where you had the fight and wore Elinor's picture, and it was right out there among them that Halbert was found. Horse thieves had run off his best horses—the same gang of murderers that, they say, planned to trap you and that you outwitted. Oh! Marshall, was ever a girl so proud of her brother!—and they shot Hal and he was found and taken care of by some Indian people, tame ones, and one was a girl, Lizette, who had fallen in love with him four years ago. Wasn't is romantic? And she's gone again, but Hal is safe here, although Mrs. Folsom is more than half-crazy, and now old Mr. Folsom is worried to death, and says we must start back for home to-morrow. It's seventy-five miles, and we don't want to go at all, only I'm so eager to see you, and I heard—at least Mr. Loomis told me you'd be back any day, and he has your troop till you come, and he's so fond of you—Oh, here's Pappoose to say this must go at once."

The colonel sat watching the young fellow as he read. "Bad news, Dean?" he queried.

"Every kind of news, sir. It's all a whirl. The devil seems to have broken loose in Wyoming. Let me skim through Loomis' note."

"Dear Dean: In case the letter sent yesterday passes you on the way, I add a line to say that if ever I said a mean thing about Loring when we were in the corps, I take it back. I thought him a prig when we wore the gray. He rather 'held us under,' anyhow, being a class ahead, you know, but the way he has panned out here and wiped up Wyoming with the only men I ever knew that tried to wrong you is simply wonderful. He's nabbed three of the Birdsall gang and is away now after Burleigh. The news from Folsom's ranch is more reassuring. Hal was shot by horse thieves who were running off stock, and was found and taken care of by friendly Indians, but Mrs. Hal had an awful scare and sent for the old man, who went, of course—both young ladies going with him. They were miles away before we knew of it at the fort. I tried to persuade old Pecksniff that he ought to let me go with twenty troopers to guard the ranch and scout the Laramie, and he threatened to put me in arrest. Of all the double-dashed, pig-headed old idiots he's the worst. I don't want people at the ranch to be scared, but if the Sioux only would make some demonstration this way that would give me a chance, I'd try to earn a little of the reputation that you're winning, old boy, and no man knows better how much you deserve it than

"Your friend and classmate, HANK L."

"P. S.—Loring took ten of the troop into the Black Hills to beat up Burleigh, but he said if they struck Indian sign he meant to make for Folsom's ranch. Now, if we could only meet there!"

The sun was well down at the west. The day's march had been long and tedious, as only cavalry marches are when long wagon trains have to be escorted. Dean had not yet fully recovered strength, but anxiety lent him energy.

"If Mr. Folsom says there is need of cavalry guard at the Laramie, it is because he dreads another Indian visit, colonel. I have nine men in good shape. Our horses are fresh, or will be after a few hours' rest. May I push on to-night?"

And to the young soldier's surprise the elder placed a trembling hand upon his shoulder and looked him earnestly into the eyes. "Dean, my boy, it's my belief you cannot start too soon. Do you know who Lizette is?"

"I've heard the story," said Marshall, briefly. "She must have been hovering about there for some time."

"Yes, and now her people know it, and it will rekindle their hatred. The moment I heard of this I sent old Bat to watch the crossing at La Bonte. Not an hour ago this came in by the hand of his boy," and the colonel held out a scrap of paper. It was a rude pictograph, a rough sketch, map-like, of a winding river—another and smaller one separated from the first by a chain of mountains. The larger one was decorated by a flag-pole with stars and stripes at the top and a figure with musket and bayonet at the bottom. The smaller one by a little house, with smoke issuing from the chimney, and a woman beside it. Above all, its head over the mountains pointing toward the house, its tail extending north of the bigger stream, was a comet—the "totem" or sign of the Ogallalla lover of Lizette. The story was told at a glance. Burning Star was already south of the Platte and lurking in the mountains near Folsom's ranch.

That night, toward ten o'clock, an anxious council was held. Halbert Folsom, fevered by his severe wound, was lying half-unconscious on his bed, his unhappy wife wandering aimlessly about at times, wringing her hands and weeping, evidently unbalanced by the terrors that had beset her of late and the tidings of that awful Indian revenge along the Big Horn. Silent, helpful, almost commanding, Elinor spent the hours sometimes at her brother's bedside, then at that of her sister-in-law when the poor creature could be induced to lie still a moment. The burly little son and heir, long since sound asleep in his cradle, was watched over by Jessie, whose heart fluttered in dread she dare not say of what. Twice that afternoon she had seen whispered conferences between old Folsom and Lannion. She knew that for some better reason than that he was overpersuaded by Pappoose, Mr. Folsom had not carried out his project of sending them back to Gate City. She saw that he made frequent visits to the cellar and had changed the arrangement of the air ports. She noted that the few ranch hands hung about the premises all day, their rifles ever within reach, and that often Mr. Folsom took the glasses and searched the road to Frayne. She saw that earth was being heaped up in places against the ranch where the walls were thin or made of boarding. She saw that water and provisions were being stored in the cellar, and she knew that it could all mean only one thing—that the Indians were again in force in the neighborhood, and that an Indian siege was imminent.

And all this time Pappoose, though very brave, was so still and so intent upon her duties. Even when supper was served for the ranch people in the kitchen that evening, as the sun went down, Jess noted that two of the men kept constantly in saddle, riding round the buildings and anxiously scanning the open prairie on every side. There were only six men all told now, including Folsom (of course not counting Hal, who was defenseless), altogether too small a number to successfully protect so large a knot of buildings against an insidious and powerful foe.

Darkness settled down upon the valley, and, though calm and collected, Folsom seemed oppressed by the deepest anxiety. Every now and then he would step forth into the night and make a circuit of the buildings, exchange a word in low tone with some invisible guardian, for, heavily armed, the employes were gathered at the main building, and the wife and children of the chief herdsman were assigned to a room under its roof. Particularly did Folsom pet and encourage the dogs, two of them splendid mastiffs in whom Hal took unusual pride. Then he would return to his son's bedside, bend anxiously over him and lay a loving hand on Pappoose's lustrous hair. It must have been ten o'clock and a night wind was rising, making the occasional cry of the coyotes even more weird and querulous, when they heard the sudden, fierce challenge of Trooper, the keenest, finest of the mastiffs, and instantly his bark was echoed by the rush and scurry of every canine on the place. The men on the porch sprang to their feet and Folsom hastened out to join them. The dogs had charged in the darkness toward the northeast, and somewhere out in that direction were now all furiously barking. Aloft the skies were heavily clouded. The moon was banked and not a glimmer of light shone on earth or heaven. Suddenly, afar out over the prairie, beyond where the dogs were challenging, there was heard the sound of a pony's neigh, an eager appeal for welcome and shelter, and Folsom sprang confidently forward, his powerful tones calling off the dogs. They came back, growling, sniffing, only half-satisfied, still bristling at the unseen visitor. "War ponies never neigh," said Folsom. "Who are you, brothers—friends?" he called, in the Sioux tongue, and a faint voice answered from the darkness, a pony came loping dimly into view, almost running over him, and in another minute an Indian girl, trembling with fear and exhaustion, had toppled from the saddle and clasped the old trader's hand.

"Good God! Lizette," he cried, "you again? What is wrong?" for her head was drooping, her knees giving way beneath her, as the poor child whispered her answer:

"Sioux coming—plenty braves! Hide—quick!"

And Folsom bore her in his arms within.

[To Be Continued.]

SOMETHING REALLY NEW.

But There Was Something Wrong with the Conclusion of the Story.

"I have an idea for a story!" exclaimed the young author enthusiastically.

"Something really new?" asked the publisher, doubtfully, relates the Chicago Post.

"New!" cried the young author. "Well, I should say so. Listen! Married couple living happily, not a cloud in the matrimonial sky. Husband goes on trip, fails to come back, search made, nothing found, wife mourns, inconsolable and all that, time passes, everybody gives him up as dead, she goes into mourning and comes out again, grief dulled by time—"

"Oh, that's old!" interrupted the publisher. "That's 'Enoch Arden' all over again."

"Oh, it is?" scornfully retorted the young author. "Well, that's all you know about it. Finally she marries again."

"I told you so," broke in the publisher.

"Man comes back 25 years later," went on the young author, ignoring the interruption. "Wife sees him and cries: 'Alas, I have married again.' Man answers: 'So have I.' Now there's a situation for you."

"Bigamy," commented the publisher.

"Huh?"

"Bigamy; double case of it. How are you going to get them out of that scrape?"

"Confound it!" ejaculated the young author. "I never did evolve the plot of a good story yet that some prosaic old duffer didn't come along and knock the tar out of it. I tell you, genius isn't appreciated in this world."

No Discrimination.

"You're a nice editor, Chubbs!"

"What's the matter now?"

"Why, you said the publisher of the Daily Voice is an unmitigated ass."

"Well, he is."

"But you add: 'We advise our brother journalist to reform his stupid ways.'"—Harlem Life.

People Who Won't Pay.

Any photographer will tell you that lots of people will sit for a picture and then won't stand for it.—Indianapolis News.

AN INHERITANCE IN WESTERN CANADA.

Indian Reservations and Other New Districts to Be Opened Up This Year.

In the Great Saskatchewan Valley, and the Fertile Plains of Assiniboia.

To the Editor.

Dear Sir: The past three or four years have demonstrated to a large number of Americans the value of the grain-growing and ranching lands of western Canada. Tens of thousands have taken advantage of the offer made by the Canadian government as well as of the exceedingly low prices asked for lands by the railway, colonization and other companies. The experience of those who have been settled there for some little time is of a highly gratifying character. So much so that the Canadian government, who has control of the immigration into western Canada, has decided to open up some new districts this year in the well-known Saskatchewan valley, and also in the fertile plains of Assiniboia. These districts are probably the most productive in the entire west and in close touch to largely settled communities, as well as being situated on some of the most important lines of railway. They are within easy reach of markets, schools, churches and other social advantages. In some of these districts lands may be homesteaded as well as purchased outright at very low prices. Now as to what can be done on these lands. The evidence of the settlers in the neighborhood of the lands now about to be opened for settlement (some of them being located in one of the best Indian reservations) goes to show that the very best results have followed even most indifferent methods. Cases are given where farmers having gone there with most limited means, barely enough to erect a small house and break up a little land, have in three or four years' time become prosperous, all debts paid and money in the bank. The soil in the districts mentioned, Assiniboia and Saskatchewan, is a rich black loam, 15 inches to three feet deep. As a settler says: "It appears like the accumulation of decayed vegetation and ashes for centuries (the subsoil is a stiff putty clay)." On this soil it is possible to raise from 40 to 50 bushels of wheat to the acre; oats, 75 to 100 bushels, all of which bring good prices at the local market. For mixed farming these new districts are probably among the best in western Canada. Stock fatten easily on the wild grasses. Hay is plentiful, and prices splendid. Another settler writing to a friend in Iowa says: "The climate is all that could be desired, plenty of rainfall in summer, with no hot, dry winds. On the 28th of September I saw prairie flowers in full bloom, sweet corn, potato and tomato vines that had not been touched a particle with frost, and the winters are milder than those in the state from which I came. After the holidays the winter sets in clear and cold, with plenty of snow for good sleighing; no high winds or blizzards are known. Horses live out all winter and pick their own living, while cattle live all winter in open sheds and around the hay ricks. Wheat, oats and barley are the principal grain crops. Potatoes and all other roots and vegetables do well, the yield being enormous as compared to those in the states. Wild fruits, such as strawberries, raspberries, cranberries, gooseberries and all varieties of currants yield in abundance. As a reader of your valuable paper for a number of years, I feel that I should inform you of the progress and advancement being made in Canada within the past few years and the inducements and advantages that will follow settlement in western Canada. Those who desire information can do as I did, and apply to any agent of the Canadian government, whose name, I see, appears in advertisements appearing elsewhere in the columns of your paper, and when writing ask particularly about the Saskatchewan Valley or Assiniboia Districts. Yours truly,

"OLD READER."

OBJECT TO BEER AS CLEANER.

Protest of W. C. T. U. at the Idea of Cleaning City Hall Brick.

The temperance people of Topeka, and of Kansas for that matter, are indignant. The city is just completing a fine city hall and auditorium, which is to be opened with ceremonies early in September. Preparatory to this event the city administration has decided to revamp the new brick structure a little, and for this purpose will use a lot of stale beer stored at the police station for washing the walls of the new building. This stale beer has been seized from time to time, and in accordance with law must be spilled into the street. Rather than waste this liquid it is proposed to use it in making the new brick walls shine for the dedication ceremonies.

The State Temperance union, W. C. T. U. and other temperance organizations declare that such procedure would be an outrage and rather than permit it threaten to go to the city prison and forcibly turn the stuff into the streets.

One Kind of Kindness.

She—Is he kind to his family?

He—I think not. He never sends any money home when he is on the road.

"Well, that's what I would call unremitting kindness."—Chicago Evening News.

His Name.

The teacher of the Sabbath school class approached one little fellow who was present for the first time, and inquired his name, for the purpose of placing it on the roll. "Well," said the youngster, "they call me Jimmie for short, but my maiden name is James."—Christian Register.

WILL NOT STRIKE.

The Mine Workers Accept a Promise of Recognition

AT SOME FUTURE TIME.

President Mitchell Declares for a Conservative Course.

IN THE ANTHRACITE FIELD.

The Principal Concessions Asked for by the United Mine Workers Were Not Granted and the Operators Can Justly Claim a Victory.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., March 30.—The expected strike of 143,000 miners in the hard coal region will not take place. At a meeting of the executive committee of the United Mine Workers of three anthracite districts held in this city Friday it was decided that the men should continue at work. This committee was given arbitrary power by the general convention of miners held at Hazelton in the fore part of the month to declare a strike if circumstances warranted it. In a lengthy address issued last evening and which was prepared by Mr. Mitchell, it is stated that the circumstances do not warrant a strike at this time.

Mr. Mitchell made an address at the afternoon session of the committee which was conservative in the extreme. He spoke of his visit to New York and his efforts to secure interviews with the men who control the anthracite coal trade. He said all the concessions asked for had not been granted, but the outlook for the future was bright and it was his opinion that the day was not far distant when the operators of the anthracite region would see that it was to their advantage to meet their miners in joint conference. It took some time and hard work before the bituminous operators would consent to meet their miners, but they eventually did.

Some members of the committee were in favor of pursuing a radical course, on the ground that if the operators did not recognize the Miners' union now the opportunity would be lost forever. President Mitchell, however, soon convinced the committee that a conservative course was the only one to pursue at this time.

A number of coal operators when shown the statement issued by the committee said it was a graceful backdown on Mitchell's part, but they gave the president of the Mine Workers credit for its conservative policy. It is conceded that had he so desired he could have made a great deal of trouble.

On the whole the miners are well pleased with the action of the committee. While they were ready to strike, had the order been given, they are just as well pleased that no lockout is to occur. There is general rejoicing among business men over the news. The suspense of the past two weeks had a tendency to paralyze trade, but now a big boom is looked for.

President Mitchell's statement says: "The representatives of the operators listened to the presentation of our arguments and while they would not agree to meet in a general conference with the miners this year, they did agree that the notices which were posted continuing the advance in wages until April 1, 1902, and agreeing to take up and adjust with their mine employes any grievances they might have, should be interpreted to mean that such grievances should be adjusted with representatives or committees of the Mine Workers; and they held out the hope that if during the present year the Mine Workers demonstrated their ability to abstain from engaging in local strikes, full and complete recognition of the organization would be accorded at a future date."

Actor Barrymore in an Asylum.

New York, March 30.—Maurice Barrymore, the actor, was taken to the insane pavillion of Bellevue hospital yesterday by his son, John Barrymore. He went to the hospital willingly. He had nothing at all to say and acted like a man who was dazed. John Barrymore told the doctor that his father's real name is Blye and that he was born in the East Indies about 50 years ago.

A Masquerader Arrested.

Victoria, B. C., March 30.—The steamer Tacoma, from the Orient, brings news of the arrest at Hong Kong of an American named John Lee, who, it is alleged, has been obtaining goods and money under false pretenses while masquerading as "C. E. Morgan, surgeon of U. S. S. Brooklyn." He went about attired in naval uniform and was bound to Manila when arrested.

Sold for $55,000.

New York, March 30.—A seat on the New York stock exchange was sold Friday for $55,000, which is $2,500 more than the highest price heretofore paid.

Is in No Hurry to Resign.

Lincoln, Neb., March 30.—Senator-elect Dieterich announced Friday that he would not resign as governor until fall, probably not until after election, barring, of course, an extra session of congress, which he did not regard as probable. Gov. Dietrich justified this action by saying he had outlined a plan of state administration which he was anxious to put into effect.

Marseilles Strike Ended.

Marseilles, France, March 30.—The strike here has virtually ended and work has been generally resumed at the docks.

THE STORY OF A BONNET

I'D MADE up my mind fer sartin that Jenny (you know that she
Had named the day in her own sweet way—the day she would marry me?)
Should have the purtiest bonnet that ever the store folks made—
One that would throw a rainbow jest twenty mile in the shade!

Ever seen Jenny smilin'? Ever took note of her eyes?
I tol' her a angel made 'em from little blue patches o' skies!
Jest 'peared to twinkle sunshine! an' whenever they look at me
I see jest all o' Heaven that ever I hope to see!

Well, I went down thar to the city, an' I tol' the store folks plain,
I wanted the finest bonnet that ever come in on the train;
An' I paid my money fer it 'thout any contendin' words:
It wuz all fixed up with roses, an' ribbons, an' singin' birds.

But now the trouble's a-comin'!—she wuz all in deep distress;
How wuz a ten-dollar bonnet to go with a caliker dress?
Mother—she kinder shook her head; said 'twould be "out o' place,"
An' Jenny, with tears a-fallin' on the roses of her face!

But her gran'ma come ter the rescue: "It's been seventy year," says she,
"Sence I wore my weddin' dress, an' now it's good as it use to be;
I've been a-keepin' it stored away—but it saddens me now an' then;
An' seein' to-morrer's the Easter day, we'll make it over fer Jen!"

Jen throwed her arms around her, till we heard the gran'ma say:
"Ever you see sich a silly gal? She'll smother me that away!
Go 'long an' git yer scissors, an' all o' yer needles bright;
With a hat like that a weddin' dress is jest what'll set you right!"

An' it did! An' seein' she looked so sweet when the Easter day come 'roun',
When meetin' wuz over, the license an' the parson wuz easy foun'!
An' I ain't a-lovin' Jenny any the more, or less,
Kaze I married her Easter mornin' in gran'mother's weddin' dress!

F. L. Stanton, in Atlanta Constitution.

BLOSSOM'S EASTER DAY.

LILIES did not grow in Easton court. The only superfluous articles which the children who lived there knew anything about were bits of broken bottles and waste papers. Squalor, misery and unhappiness there were in plenty, but no flowers, no Sabbath days, no happy children—that is, excepting Blossom—Blossom, whose long-lashed violet eyes and shining curls set her apart from all the other alley children like a bit of heartsease; whose little crutch went tapping through the halls all day, and who sat on the rickety stairs at nightfall ready to call out a cheery greeting to her mother when she turned into the dark alley.

Blossom was very rich. Her mother did day's work for the wealthy people on the avenue, and, besides, Blossom's mother had not always lived in the alley. So when Blossom's glad cry: "Hurry up, mamma, I'm waiting for you," would ring out on the foul air, the alley children would hurry to the stairs and look with wondering, wistful eyes at the scene which never failed to take place. Blossom's mother was never too tired to kiss the winsome face and Blossom's arm always caught her mother in a rapturous embrace. Then they went in and shut the door, and the alley children were so poor, so poor.

Out in the great city the Easter story was being told again and again one Saturday evening, and after her bit of work was done Blossom's mother told her a new story of a little girl who, ever so long ago, went to church on Easter morning, and who talked to the lilies and palms while the minister preached to the big people.

It was a fine old church, with a great organ, and windows so beautiful that the sun made violet, and gold, and purple lights on the floor. "And the little girl sitting there in her white dress did not know, my Blossom, that some day she would grow up and have great trouble to bear."

"Poor mamma," exclaimed Blossom, and then she fell to cuddling the hard hand in her sweet baby way and with the exquisite imagery of childhood went to the beautiful church herself, hearing the wonderful music, and seeing the lights and flowers. The vision filled her waking thoughts, her prayers and her dreams that night, and when she awoke with the sun of Easter morning shining across her face, there was a tremulous hope in her heart that down in the alley she would hear some one crying: "Christ is risen to-day," and then the response: "He is risen indeed," just as her mother used to hear it in her old home.

But Blossom heard only wicked and evil words, so she went back to her world of "make believe" and said blithely to her mother: "Now put on your prettiest dress, mamma, and I'll put on my white dress, and the lace cap, and the little slippers with big bows, and we'll go to church and hear the big organ and, O mamma, couldn't we do it honest truth—for sure, I mean?"

"I am afraid Blossom, that you and I would look queer in a fine church," she answered, sadly.

"O mamma, please," coaxed the child, sitting up in bed, her little hands held out pleadingly.

A torturing wave of homesickness swept over Blossom's mother. "If I only could go," she murmured, and wise little Blossom said cheerily: "We will, mamma; I'll take care of you." Then they both laughed as if there were no heavy shadows in Easton court, and nothing but joy and love in the world on Easter morning.

"We shall have to start early, then, dear, before the people go to church, and you shall see the lilies and then we will come home and have a happy Easter by ourselves," said her mother.

After one awe-stricken whisper, Blossom did not speak again to her mother. She felt as if she must have died and gone to Heaven, for never in her happiest flights of imagination had she dreamed of anything so beautiful as that which she saw on entering the church. They sat down under the gallery and Blossom's mother, white-faced and weary, leaned her head against a pillar and closed her eyes. There was a lump in the child's throat; her pleasure gave her such keen pain. The organist was playing a slow, sweet melody that throbbed through the church like a psalm of rest, and Blossom, unable to control her tears, stood up leaning heavily on her crutch and wiping her eyes with her little coarse handkerchief.

An early worshiper, a lady whose crape draperies floated about her like a sable cloud, moved down the aisle. She caught sight of Blossom sobbing among the shadows and went over to her, laying one caressing hand on the top of the crutch and the other on Blossom's shining head. Blossom did not start, for she had reached the stage when nothing could surprise her, but she looked up into the fair, haughty face and smiled through her tears.

"What is the matter, little girl?" the lady asked, in a voice so musical that

BLOSSOM'S MOTHER TOLD HER A NEW STORY.

Blossom smiled again and gave her head a little shake to send the tears flying.

"It's so—so nice," she answered, reverently. "Aren't you glad the lilies tell about Jesus?"

The lady did not answer her in words, and as she stooped nearer the child, lifting the dimpled chin in her palm, she said with passionate tenderness: "Poor little girl! You are a cripple like my little boy; I am so sorry for you."

"Oh, is he lame, and will he be here to-day? He won't mind his lameness when he sees the lilies."

"He is not here; he is risen; and I am alone," answered the lady, her voice sharp with pain.

"Do you mean that he has gone to Jesus?" asked Blossom.

There was only an affirmative nod for answer, and Blossom, whose childish idea of ministry meant loving put up her hand and stroked the face of the stricken woman beside her, as she did the tired mother's when the hard day's work was ended. "Poor lady," she said, softly, "I expect God is letting him gather Easter lilies for Him to-day. Mamma thinks God has gardens in Heaven because there are so many folks like me who never had any flowers down here. I never saw an Easter lily till to-day, and won't it be nice when we all go to Jesus for me to tell your little boy that we talked about him to-day down here?"

Mrs. Raymond was crying—crying as she could not cry when they carried Donald's casket from the house; crying as any oppressed heart will cry when relief comes, and still Blossom's voice went steadily and sweetly on: "I guess you are lonesome without your little boy and that makes you cry, but some day when you go to see God, your little boy will already be there, and he'll run right up to you without his crutches. Mamma says God doesn't have crutches there, and I think I'll be the happiest little girl in Heaven when God lets me show mamma how I can run."

Blossom's mother turned uneasily and the child went over to her. "You went to sleep, mamma, you were so tired," she said, in quaint apology; then, turning and smiling brightly at her new friend, she said: "I guess we must go now, for mamma said we could only stay with the lilies until the people came; she said we would look queer; do we?"

"Stay to service with me," pleaded Mrs. Raymond, but Blossom's mother would not be persuaded, and went away, leaving the child under Mrs. Raymond's protection.

Blossom has never forgotten that wonderful Easter day. The triumphant music, the perfumed air, the glorious promises of resurrection and life, fell with untold power upon the innocent child life. She was unconscious of the notice she attracted to the pew of the wealthy Mrs. Raymond, who had not been to service for months, and who had been so bitter in her grief over the loss of her only son that her best friends had avoided her in the hours when she most needed them. Blossom had not felt the bitterness, so she leaned confidingly against Mrs. Raymond, bringing to her the first real comfort she had known. Looking down into the child's rapt face, she found her best help in the warm human sympathy of the loving heart beside her, and as her quivering nerves stilled a little the tender triumph of the pulpit message added its healing balm to the hurt in her troubled heart.

Blossom rode home in a carriage that day, and the wonder of it all had not left her when a servant in livery returned with several large boxes of Easter lilies, roses and ferns. There was a perfumed note with a dainty monogram tucked between the lily stems, and Blossom's mother read it aloud to her.

"Dear Blossom," it ran, "I want to send you something from my little boy. I think he wishes you to give these flowers to all your friends in Easton court to help them remember that there is no darkness where Jesus is."

Blossom sat with her hands folded over her knee, looking down at the mass of blossoms at her feet. "It all came true," she said, softly; "we did go to church, and God let me see the lilies. God can do anything, can't He, mamma?"

"Yes, my Blossom, He lets us have all that is good for us," answered the brave, trusting mother, who, in the midst of her toil and pain and poverty, had learned to keep the true Easter in her heart.

Many Easter days have come and gone since then, and now the lilies blossom royally at Easton court, for Mrs. Raymond, thoroughly awakened from the selfishness of her grief, tore away the old buildings whose environment laid so cruel a hand upon the children of the court, and in their stead built up Donald house, in memory of the boy she loved and well-nigh lost. Blossom and her mother have rooms in the new house as in the old.

Sometimes when Mrs. Raymond has taken leave of them she remembers her first meeting with them, and, retracing her steps, takes Blossom's face between her hands while she says: "God bless you and keep you sweet in this garden for many years, my Blossom," and Blossom, whose presence is like a benediction in Donald house, can repay her friend only by the daily unfolding of her own Christ life.—Minnie Waite Roselle, in Baptist Union.

At Eastertime.

At Eastertime, oh, who can doubt
That He who calls the violets out
Of their brown graves beneath the rime
Will wake us, too, in His good time?
Are we not more than many flowers?
Oh, sweet the lesson of the hours
At Eastertime.
—May Riley Smith.

A Calculating Mind.

"Did you observe Lent this year?"

"Very carefully," answered he. "I think I succeeded in denying myself enough things to pay the cost of an Easter wardrobe."—Washington Star.

THOUSANDS OF FAIR WOMEN HERALD PRAISES FOR PERUNA.

Catarrhal Dyspepsia and Nervous Prostration Make Invalids of More Women Than All Other Diseases Combined.

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Letters from Women.

Every day we receive letters from women like the following. Women who have tried doctors and failed; women who have tried Peruna and were cured.

Miss Katie Klein, 6125 Bartmer avenue, St. Louis, Mo., writes:

"Peruna has done me more good for catarrh than the best doctors could. I had catarrh so bad, but after taking Peruna it is entirely gone, and I feel like a different person."

Miss Anna Prescott's Letter.

Miss Anna Prescott, in a letter from 216 South Seventh street, Minneapolis, Minn., writes:

"I am sincerely grateful for the relief I have found from the use of Peruna. I was completely used up last fall, my appetite had failed and I felt weak and tired all the time. My druggist advised me to try Peruna and the relief I experienced after taking one bottle was truly wonderful.

"I continued its use for five weeks, and am glad to say that my complete restoration to health was a happy surprise to myself as well as to my friends."—Anna Prescott.

A constant drain of nervous vitality depleting the whole nervous system causes the mucous membrane surfaces to suffer accordingly. This is the condition called systemic catarrh. It very nearly resembles, and there is really no practical difference, between this condition and the condition known as neurasthenia, or nervous prostration. Peruna will be found to effect an immediate and lasting cure in all cases of systemic catarrh. It acts quickly and beneficially on the diseased mucous membranes, and with healthy mucous membranes the catarrh can no longer exist.

Peruna a True Friend to Women.

Mrs. F. J. Lynch, writes the following from 324 S. Division street, Grand Rapids, Mich.:

The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, O.:

Gentlemen—"I earnestly recommend Peruna to any suffering woman, as it cures quickly. Last year I had a most persistent cough which nothing seemed to cure. Two bottles of Peruna did more for me than all the doctors seemed to do. In a couple of weeks I found myself in excellent health, and have been enjoying it ever since. Hence I look on Peruna as a true friend to women."—Mrs. F. J. Lynch.

Peruna is equally efficacious in curing catarrh of the throat as in curing systemic catarrh or catarrh of the stomach. Catarrh is essentially the same wherever located. Peruna cures catarrh.

Peruna Makes You Feel Like a New Person.

Miss Mary Coats, a popular young woman of Appleton, Wis., and president of the Appleton Young Ladies' Club, also speaks in glowing terms of Peruna. A letter recently received from her by The Peruna Medicine Company, of Columbus, Ohio, reads as follows:

"I am glad to call the attention of my friends to Peruna. When that languid, tired feeling comes over you, and your food no longer tastes good, and small annoyances irritate you, Peruna will make you feel like another person inside of a week.

"I have now used it for three seasons, and find it very valuable and efficacious."—Miss Marie Coats.

Diseased nerves are traceable directly to poor digestion, and poor digestion is directly traceable to catarrh. With the slightest catarrh of the stomach no one can have good digestion.

Very few of the many women who have catarrh of the stomach suspect what their real trouble is. They know they belch after meals, have sour stomach, a sensation of weight or heaviness, a fullness, irregular appetite, drowsiness, gnawing, empty sensations, occasional pain—they all know this; but they do not know that their trouble is catarrh of the stomach. If they did they would take Peruna.

Peruna cures catarrh wherever located. As soon as Peruna removes catarrh from the stomach the digestion becomes good, appetite regular, nerves strong, and trouble vanishes. Peruna strengthens weak nerves, not by temporarily stimulating them, but by removing the cause of weak nerves—poor digestion. This is the only cure that lasts. Remove the cause: Nature will do the rest. Peruna removes the cause.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, O.

UNDER THE SNOW.

Ghastly Truths Revealed on the Disappearance of Winter's White Mantle.

Deadly dangers lurk in the ground left bare by the departing snow. All Winter long there have been accumulating deadly disease germs.

These have been protected and kept alive by the covering of snow and now, with the first warm days, these death-bringing microbes are awakened by the rays of the sun, and as the ground dries they are carried to all corners of the community in the dust that is blown everywhere by the Spring winds.

The human body at this time is particularly susceptible to these germs, especially the germs of fevers. The system has been depleted by the foregoing Winter. The blood is sluggish and filled with impurities. The nerves have not recovered from the tension they have been under for the past months. The stomach, the bowels, the kidneys, the liver are all at their worst.

It is therefore, not strange that these germs of disease find fertile ground in which to thrive, flourish and develop into deadly ills.

Spring is the time of year when one should fear an attack of fever, especially when the system is depleted, one should dread any severe illness. The vitality is at a low ebb. There is less power of resistance to throw off disease, and it is on this account that fatalities are so much greater during the Spring months than at any other time of the year.

There is but one way to ward off such dangers, and that is to fortify the human body so that it will become impregnable to the germs of invading disease.

To do this take Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy. It will build you up quickly, it will reestablish your waning appetite, it will give you restful nights of sleep, it will give vim and vigor to the nerves, and it will dispel all existing poisons that have accumulated in the body besides counteracting the effects of others that may accumulate.

Following is an instance that will illustrate the wonderful power of Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy.

Sheriff Jonas T. Stevens, who is sheriff of Hyde Park, Vt., says:—"I have used Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy especially as a blood purifier. I had a very severe humor on my arms, accompanied by a very bad itching, so severe that I could not sleep nights, causing me great inconvenience by the loss of sleep by the itching. A friend advised me to take Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy, which I did with the most satisfactory results, for the trouble has entirely disappeared, and I can now rest comfortably nights and have none of my former misery from the burning, itching sensations."

Remember Dr. Greene's advice will be given to any one desiring the same absolutely free if they will write or call upon him at his office, 35 W. 14th St., New York City.

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ADDRESS.....

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Following druggists supply Hay's Hair-Health and Harfina Soap in their shops only:

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Sheriff's Sale.

BY VIRTUE OF A WRIT OF *Levari Facias* issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Cameron county, and to me directed, I have seized, levied upon and taken into execution and will expose for sale to the highest and best bidder at public vendue or outcry, at the Court House, in Emporium, Cameron county, Pa., on

Friday, 19th Day of April A. D., 1901,

AT 2:00 O'CLOCK, P. M.,

The following described real estate, to-wit:

All that certain piece, parcel and lot of ground, situate, lying and being in the township of Gibson, county of Cameron and state of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the northeast corner of Warrant No. 5470; thence south along the east line of said Warrant and the east line of Warrant No. 5471, six hundred and forty (640) rods to the southeast corner of said Warrant No. 5471; thence west along the south line of said Warrant No. 5471, four hundred and forty four and eignt-tenths (444 8-10) rods to a post; thence north 322 9-10 rods to a hemlock on the north side of Bennett's Branch Creek; thence north fifty-four (54) degrees east one hundred and sixty-seven (167) rods to a rock oak; thence north two hundred and eighteen and three-tenth (218 3-10) rods to a post in the north line of said Warrant No. 5470; thence east along the north line of said Warrant, No. 5470, three hundred and ten and seven-tenths (310 7-10) rods to the northeast corner of said Warrant No. 5470, the place of beginning. Containing one thousand four hundred and sixty-six (1466) acres, more or less, and being the east part of said Warrants Nos 5470 and 5471. Excepting and reserving therefrom the following five pieces of land: First:—Beginning at the hemlock on the north bank of Bennetts Branch Creek; thence down said creek, by its several courses, one hundred and thirty-two (132) rods to a hemlock; thence northeasterly one hundred and two (102) rods to a black oak; thence north seventy (70) rods to a chestnut oak; thence south fifty-four (54) degrees, west nineteen (19) rods to a rock oak in the west line of the above described piece; thence south fifty-four (54) degrees, west one hundred and sixty-seven (167) rods to the hemlock, the place of beginning, containing ninety (90) acres, more or less, deeded by James Mix to Hezekiah Mix, by deed recorded in Elk county, Deed Book "B," at page 305. Second:—Beginning at a maple on the bank of Mix Run; thence west fourteen (14) rods to a stone; thence north twelve (12) rods to a post; thence east fourteen (14) rods to the bank of said run; thence south twelve (12) rods to a thorn apple, the place of begnning. Containing one acre on which is or was an old saw mill. Conveyed by James Mix to Hezekiah Mix by deed dated Sept. 15th, 1849, and recorded in Elk county, Deed Book "B," page 307. Third:—On the north side of Bennetts Branch Creek, beginning at a post by land of Hezekiah Mix; thence north twenty-two and three-fourths (22¾) degrees, east ten (10) rods; thence south seventy-seven (77) degrees east, four (4) rods; thence south seven (7) degrees west, ten (10) rods; thence by public road north seventy-four and one fourth (74¼) degrees west, seven (7) rods to the place of beginning. Containing fifty-five (55) square rods. Conveyed by Henry Mix and J. J. Mix to the School Directors of Gibson School district by deed dated, Dec. 1st, 1857 and recorded in Elk county, Deed Book "G," at page 486. Fourth:—Beginning at a post on the east line of Warrant No. 5461, sixty (60) rods from pine (corner of S. Mix); thence south fifty-four and one-half (54½) degrees west, thirty-two (32) rods to a post; thence north fifty-two (52) degrees west, sixty-four and one-half (64½) rods to a post; thence north fifty-four and one-half (54½) degrees east ninety-nine (99) rods to a post on the Warrant line; thence south along said Warrant line to the place of beginning. Containing twenty-one (21) acres, more or less, being part of Warrant No. 5471, conveyed by James Mix to Solomon Mix in 1857 and recorded in Elk county, Deed Book "G" page 560. And also the right of way of the Allegheny Valley Railroad or the Bennetts Branch extension of said rail road over and across said land. Also further reserving all that lot of land, described as follows: Commencing at a point on the easterly bank of Mix Run at the mouth of the first run emptying into Mix Run on the left hand side as you go up said Mix Run; thence easterly up said run that so empties into Mix Run six hundred (600) feet; thence northwesterly and parallel with said Mix Run, thirteen hundred (1300) feet to a post; thence westerly and parallel with the first described line six hundred (600) feet to the bank of said Mix Run; thence up said Mix Run thirteen hundred (1300) feet to the place of beginning. Also the full and exclusive right and priviledge to the grantors, their heirs and assigns forever to use and occupy said run, known as Mix Run, from its mouth where it empties into Bennetts Branch up said run so far as the parties of the first part owned or had any priviledge for lumbering purposes, running and storing logs and lumber and all other purposes.

Also the right and privilege to build, construct and maintain dams in and across said Mix Run, at such points and places as the grantors or their heirs and assigns may at any time select, at such height as they may desire and to flood and cover with water all such lands on both sides of said run as they may require for ponds above said dams, and to use said ponds for the storage of logs and for all other purposes. Also the right, title and privilege to D. J. McDonald, his heirs and assigns forever, to build, construct and maintain a railroad and track from such point or place on the Bennetts Branch extension of the Allegheny Valley Railroad, as he, or his heirs, or assigns may select, over the said lands and premises, and up the valley of said Mix Run to any mill, manufactory, or place of business said McDonald, his heirs or assigns may hereafter have or build on said runs; said track and road bed, therefor, not to exceed 25 feet in width. Also reserving unto the said D. J. McDonald, his heirs and assigns, all his right, title and interest in, and to all the timber on said lands. The undivided one half of the lands above described being the same land which D. J. McDonald and wife conveyed to Amanda Apker and Edith Clark, by deed dated the 23rd day of December, 1878, and recorded in the Recorder's office in Cameron county, in Deed Book "F", page 79, etc. The other undivided half being the same land conveyed to George W. Apker and Robert Clark by Mary McDonald and James J. McDonald, executors of D. J. McDonald, deceased, by deed dated January 28th, 1887, and filed February 8th, 1887, in the Court of Common Please of Cameron county, in No. 12, May Term, 1886, together with the hereditaments and appurtenances.

IMPROVEMENTS—One hundred acres improved and cultivated land, having thereon an apple orchard of one hundred bearing trees; one dwelling house one and one-half story, size 16 feet by 32 feet; one well of water; one barn 24 feet by 30 feet with shed attached; one barn 18 feet by 24 feet with shed attached; one house 20 feet by 40 feet two stories; one well of water, one ice house, and other necessary out-buildings. The streams known as Mix Run and Bennetts Branch, run through this property. Also the Allegheny Valley Railroad, running through this property, has a station thereon.

Seized and taken into execution and to be sold as the property of GEORGE W. APKER, AMANDA APKER, ROBERT CLARK, ROBERT CLARK husband and administrator of Edith Clark, deceased, and W. E. CLARK, heir at law of Edith Clark, deceased, at the suit of J. W. COCHRAN, J. HENRY COCHRAN, J. O. BROOKBANK, trading as J. O. Brookbank & Co.

TERMS CASH. No deed will be acknowledged until the purchase money is paid in full.

JOHN D. SWOPE, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office,
Emporium, Pa., March 18, 1901.

AUDITORS' REPORT

OF

SHIPPEN TOWNSHIP FOR THE YEAR 1900.

ASSETS.

Dus from Geo. Minard, Sup'vr pay fund,	$137 57
Due from Geo. Minard, Supervisor common road fund,	163 60
Due from W. F. Lewis, Supervisor on general account,	51 26
Due from P. S. Culver, Coll. special road fund, on old duplicate,	2,070 43
Due from P. S. Culver, Coll. poor fund on old duplicate,	53 86
Due from L. Lockwood, Coll. special road fund,	341 78
Due from L. Lockwood, Coll. poor fund	304 76
Due from L. Lockwood, Coll. Supervisors pay fund,	146 95
Due from P. S. Culver, Coll., special road fund 1900 duplicate,	417 49
Due from P. S. Culver, Coll. Supervisors pay fund, 1900 duplicate,	130 19
Due from P. S. Culver, Coll. poor fund, 1900 duplicate,	252 18
Due from P. S. Culver, Coll. certified by Supervisors,	43 31
Due from County Treas. Supervisors pay fund,	73 62
Due from Co. Treas. common road,	240 94
Due from Co. Treas. special road,	240 94
Total assets,	$4,668 88
Total liabilities,	4,194 69
Assets over liabilities,	$174 19

LIABILITIES.

Due on Judgments,	$2,960 84
Due from Geo. Minard, Supervisor, on general account,	1,232 85
Due from Geo. Minard, Supr'vr, from special road fund,	2 00
Total liabilities,	$4,194 69

W. F. LEWIS, Supervisor, in account with Shippen Township, for the year 1900.

DR.

To amount of 1900 Duplicate,	$430 57
To amount of orders drawn,	623 50
	$1,054 07

CR.

By exoneraitons,	$ 12 84
By amount certified to collector,	21 82
By amount of duplicate worked,	351 30
By Jonathan Lewis, work on road,	9 00
By D. N. Chandler, work on road,	13 00
By D. N. Chandler, services as town clerk,	25 00
By L. K. Huntington, work on road,	175 00
By Chas. E. Chadwick, work on road,	14 50
By Casper Sipple, work on road,	2 00
By E. C. Davy, plank,	20 50
By Geo. Baxter, work on road,	14 00
By I. H. Leggitt, work on road,	7 00
By Elihu Chadwick, work on road,	35 50
By Fritz Craven, work on road,	4 50
By R. Lockwood, work on road,	7 70
By Frank Craven, work on road,	3 50
By A. Ingersoll, work on road,	7 00
By T. J. Norton, work on road,	8 50
By A. C. Goodwin, work on road,	10 13
By Mark Wright, work on road,	4 67
By Joe Craven, work on road,	11 50
By Sam Lewis, work on road,	13 10
By A. M. Matteson, work on road,	3 00
By Roy Chadwick, work on road,	10 09
By Walker, Howard & Co., sundries,	2 25
By 133 days services at $1.50,	199 50
By paid township auditors,	11 00
By paid C. J. Goodnough, services,	5 00
To balance due township,	51 26
	$1,054 07

W. F. LEWIS, Supervisor in account with Shippen township road fund, to pay orders.

DR.

To amount of orders drawn,	$295 00

CR.

By orders paid and cancelled,	$295 00

GEO. MINARD, Supervisor, in account with Shippen township.

DR.

To amount of 1900 duplicate,	$429 80
To amount of orders drawn,	652 03
By balance due Minard,	1,232 85
	$2,315 28

CR.

By Exonerations,	$27 91
By certified to collector,	21 49
By amount of duplicate worked,	342 31
By T. J. Norton, team work,	4 73
By I. H. Leggett, work on road,	19 42
By Claud Lyon, work on road,	4 50
By Geo. Dickinson, work on road,	5 25
By Daniel Kriner, work on road,	16 75
By Jos. Besig, work on road,	15 75
By W. Berfield, work on road,	20 50
By H. C. Crum, work on road,	6 00
By John Dodge, work on road,	6 00
By Gilman Leavitt, work on road,	36 90
By Geo. Leavitt, work on road,	31 87
By Jacob Andrews, work on bridge,	50 92
By A. J. Ingersoll, work on road,	3 50
By Frank Berfield, work on road,	7 50
By H. R. Dodge, work on road,	28 00
By Ray Lyon, work on road,	6 00
By Owen Dininney, work on road,	17 50
By John Doll, building 90 rods road,	90 00
By John Doll, work on road,	34 41
By Del. Towner, work on road,	31 50
By H. H. Crick, work on road,	2 55
By Wm. Crick, work on road,	2 12
By A. B. Doll, building 52 rods of road,	39 00
By O. P. Freeman, work on road,	7 96
By S. G. Haven, work on road,	3 00
By Geo. H. Dodge, work on road,	41 25
By Chas. Dodge, work on road,	20 92
By Allan Baldwin, work on road,	114 62
By N. P. Minard, work on road,	269 50
By Bert Housler, work on road,	82 50
By Rob't Littlefield, work on road,	19 50
By Michael Zimmett, work on road,	4 50
By Larry Smith, work on road,	9 75
By A. E. Jenks, work on road,	9 00
By Casper Sipple, work on road,	1 07
By Jacob Andrews, work on road,	87 70
By D. M. Toner, work on road,	74 09
By Frank Geswender, work on road,	10 84
By Allen Bliss, work on road,	2 25
By E. C. Wainwright, work on road,	15 19
By C. E. Cole, work on road,	10 68
By J. G. Nyheart, work on road,	41 02
By Patrick Curry, work on road,	2 50
By Geo. Markett, work on road,	54 13
By D. Kirkpatrick, work on road,	3 60
By Wm. Glover, work on road,	9 55
By Wm. McDonald, work on road,	18 50
By freight bill, June 2, 1900,	6 02
By S. B. Hopkins, work on road,	23 05
By C. R. Kline, lumber, spikes, labor,	26 51
By Climax Powder Co., fuse, etc.,	1 65
By Sam. Doll, work on road,	3 00
By L. K. Huntington, two shovels,	1 60
By Johnson & McNarney, legal services,	25 00
By Keystone Powder Co., dynamite, etc.	12 15
By E. W. Gaskill, work on road,	62 36
By E. C. Davey, lumber,	38 02
By Walker, Howard & Co., invoice,	23 31
By Hanpt & Hauber, repairs on machine,	15 10
By Henry Lyon, labor and watertrough,	26 00
By Hall, Kaul & Co., sewer pipe,	13 47
By G. W. Spangler, labor,	15 00
By Rob't Warner, timber,	21 00
By 144 days, at $1.50,	216 00
	$2,315 08

Bal. due Geo. Minard, $1,232.85.

GEO. MINARD, Supervisor, in account with Shippen township Road Fund, to pay orders.

DR.

To orders on 1898 tax,	$154 93
To orders on 1899 tax,	441 00
To orders on 1900 tax,	1,063 96
	$1,659 89

CR.

By draft Good Roads Machine,	$2 00
By orders paid and cancelled,	1,494 29
To balance, due township road,	163 60
	$1,659 89

GEO. MINARD, Supervisor, in account with Shippen township supervisors pay fund for 1900.

DR.

To amount received from County Treasurer, 1899 tax,	$208 13
To amount received from County Treasurer on 1900 duplicate,	432 75
To amount received from Coll. Lockwood, 1899 duplicate,	96 26
To amount received from Coll. Culver, on 1900 duplicate,	121 14
To amount received from Coll. Culver, on old duplicate,	17 14
	$875 42

NOTE.—This fund passed through the hands of Geo. Minard alone—W. F. Lewis, Supervisor, having no connection with it.

CR.

By orders of A. Cheesbro, ex-Supervisor,	$54 52
By orders of Frank A. Lewis, ex-Supervisor,	98 54
By orders of W. W. Lewis, ex-Sup'vr,	294 32
By orders of A. J. Ingersoll, ex-Sup'vr,	290 47
To balance due fund,	137 57
	$875 42

GEO. MINARD, Supervisor, in account with Shippen township, special road fund for 1900.

DR.

To amount received from County Treasurer, 1898 tax,	$99 00
To amount received from County Treasurer, 1899 tax,	157 00
To amount received from County Treasurer, 1900 tax,	1,801 91
To amount received from Coll. Culver, on 1900 duplicate,	413 19
To amount received from Coll. Culver, on old duplicate,	400 00
By balance, due Geo. Minard,	2 00
	$2,873 10

CR.

By judgments and costs paid,	$2,873 10

TO THE PUBLIC.

The public is hereby notified that the Shippen Township Fund to pay Road Orders for 1901, is about $2,000.00 and any Road Orders issued in excess of that amount will be illegal and payment of them will be resisted by the Township. The Township Clerk, Mr. W. W. Lewis, will always be prepared to furnish information as to the amount for which orders have been drawn.

JAMES HOBSON, Overseer of Poor, in account with Shippen Township Poor Fund for 1900.

DR.

To balance due Fund at last settlement	$109 50
To amount received from Co. Treas.	599 00
To amt received from Coll. Lockwood,	57 00
To amt received from Coll. Culver,	151 14
	$916 64

CR.

By Dr. Heilman, account Annie Priest, Mrs. Hoovis	$50 50
By Township Auditors,	13 00
By Wernersville Asylum, account Howard Priest,	27 00
By Sheriff Swope, Marcus Prentice cost,	6 04
By Thos. Waddington, bal. due as Overseer,	41 25
By C. B. Howard & Co., merchandise.	242 95
By Balcom & Lloyd, merchandise	24 17
By C. R. Kline & Co., merchandise.	131 00
By Mrs. Kirkpatrick, account Mrs. Laird,	10 00
By Geo. J. LaBar, undertaker,	25 00
By Johnson & McNarney attorneys,	20 00
By L. K. Huntington, merchandise,	77 71
By Prothonotary Goodnough, cost,	3 00
By D. M. Toner, wood, Mrs. Filling,	3 00
By Walker, Howard & Co., mds.	1 80
By Dr. Baker, services,	50 50
By Dr. Reese, account Ellen Skillman,	36 00
By D. M. Toner, repairing Mrs. Hoovis' house,	3 50
By Geo. Market, repairing Mrs. Hoovis' house,	5 75
By Revenue stamps,	2 00
By two days team work,	8 00
By 52 days services, at $1.50	78 00
By Geo Market, digging two graves	2 75
To balance due Poor Fund 1900,	50 72
	$916 64

JOHN W. LEWIS, Overseer of Poor in account with Shippen Township Poor Fund 1900.

DR.

To amount received from County Treas,	$599 00
To amount received, Coll. Lockwood,	80 00
To amount received Coll. Culver	95 28
To amount received from G. E. Housler on S. D. Housler judgment,	104 00
	$878 28

CR.

By W. Hamilton, wood,	$2 25
By F. A. Lewis, wood,	2 25
By Making Tax Duplicate,	2 00
By L. K. Huntington, merchandise,	160 66
By team work for Mrs. Granger,	10 00
By Wernersville Asylum, Priest	51 74
By Geo. J. LaBar, undertaker,	102 00
By N. Cutler, moving Mrs. Stratton, freight, R. R. ticket, etc.	10 50
By Dr. Baker, services,	50 00
By McKean county, E. K. Peasley,	112 65
By L. Taggart, medicine,	4 35
By M. M. Larrabee, J. P. fees,	6 00
By Balcom & Lloyd, merchandise,	27 84
By C. R. Kline & Co., merchandise,	29 66
By 46 days services at $1.50	69 00
To balance due Poor Fund,	237 37
	$878 28

P. S. CULVER, Tax Collector, in account with Special Road Fund of Shippen Township.

DR.

To amount of duplicate for 1900.	$884 87

CR.

By exonerations,	$25 60
By rebate,	17 10
By commission,	11 49
By paid Johnson & McNarney, Attys.	13 19
To balance, due Fund,	417 49
	$884 87

P. S. CULVER, Tax Collector, in account with Shippen Township Poor Fund.

DR.

To amount of Duplicate, for 1900,	$531 16

CR.

By exonerations,	$15 47
By rebate,	10 23
By commission,	46 85
By paid Johnson & McNarney, Attys.	246 43
To balance due Fund,	252 18
	$531 16

P. S. CULVER, Tax Collector, in account with Shippen township Supervisors' Pay Fund.

DR.

To amount of Duplicate for 1900.	$267 42

CR.

By exonerations,	$7 71
By rebate,	4 99
By commission,	3 39
By paid Johnson & McNarney, Attys.	121 54
To balance due Fund,	129 79
	$267 42

We, the undersigned Auditors of Shippen township, hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct statement of the Assets and Liabilities of said Township of Shippen; also, the accounts of W. F. Lewis and Geo. Minard, Supervisors; James Hobson and J. W. Lewis, Poor Masters and P. S. Culver, Tax Collector and the foregoing is a true and correct statement of the same.

Witness our hands and seals this 14th day of March, 1900.

C. R. KLINE,
H. J. NEWTON,
THOS. WADDINGTON,
Auditors.

ALL SORTS.

Those famous little pills, DeWitt's Little Early Risers will remove all impurities from your system, cleanse your bowels, make them regular. R. C. Dodson. 8ly

Aggie moved before the First.

Neuralgic pains, rheumatism, lumbago and sciatic pains, yield to the penetrating influence of BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT. Price 25c and 50c. L. Taggart. apr

Aggie wears his hair just as of old.

Skin troubles, cuts, burns, scalds, and chafing quickly heal by the use of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It is imitated. Be sure you get DeWitt's. R. C. Dodson. 8ly

Funston is running ahead of his ticket.

WHITE CREAM VERMIFUGE not only effectually destroys worms, it also increases the appetite, aids assimilation and transforms a frail infant into one of robust health. Price 25c. L. Taggart. apr

Texas oil comes without much coaxing.

You cannot enjoy perfect health, rosy cheeks and sparkling eyes if your liver is sluggish and your bowels clogged. DeWitt's Little Early Risers cleanse the whole system. They never gripe. R. C. Dodson. 8ly

The spring coal strike has been postponed.

Most women with female weakness suffer dreadfully from piles in addition to their other pains. They may be cured by using TABLER'S BUCKEYE PILE OINTMENT. Price 50 cents in bottles, tubes 75 cents. L. Taggart. apr

The Aguinaldos can now hold a family reunion.

Spring coughs are specially dangerous and unless cured at once, serious results often follow. One Minute Cough Cure acts like magic. It is not a common mixture but is a high grade remedy. R. C. Dodson. 8ly

Now the Fillipino capital is clean off the map.

An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure, and a bottle of BALLARD'S HOREHOUND SYRUP used in time is worth a staff of physicians with a drug store or two included. Price 25 and 50 cents. L. Taggart. apr

It was a long pull in Nebrasks but they arrived.

"I had piles so bad I could get no rest nor find a cure until I tried DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. After using it once, I forgot I ever had anything like Piles."—E. C. Boice, Somers Point, N. Y. Look out for imitations. Be sure you ask for DeWitt's. R. C. Dodson. 8ly

The walking was bad but Funston didn't mind it.

Perfect digestion is the only foundation for perfect health. The food we eat makes all the blood we have, which in turn feeds every nerve, muscle and tissue in the body. HERBINE quickens the appetite, aids digestion, gives tone and vigor to all the functions and ensures good health. Price 50 cents. L Taggart. apr

It's a pity for the Aunties, but sorrows come to us all.

You will waste time if you try to cure indigestion or dyspepsia by starving yourself. That only makes it worse when you do eat heartily. You always need plenty of good food properly digested. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is the result of years of scientific research for something that would digest not only some elements of food but every kind. And it is the one remedy that will do it. R. C. Dodson. 8ly

His nibs of Sulu is a regular gold-mounted patriot.

Nearly every person needs a tonic medicine at this time of year to brace up and invigorate the nervous system, to cleanse the bowels, liver and kidneys. HERBINE is the best and safe remedy to do this, as it will cure constipation, regulate the liver and enrich the blood. Price 50c. L. Taggart. apr

Even those who have moved are not feeling unmoved.

"I have been troubled with indigestion for ten years, have tried many things and spent much money to no purpose until I tried Kodol Dyepepsia Cure. I have taken two bottles and gotten more relief from them than all other medicines taken. I feel more like a boy than I have felt in twenty years."—Anderson Riggs, of Sunny Lane, Tex. Thousands have testified as did Mr. Riggs. R. C. Dodson. 8ly

Drinking Funston's health may cause a drought in Kansas.

A Raging, Roaring Flood.

Washed down a telegraph line which Chas. C. Ellis, of Lisbon, Ia., had to repair. "Standing waist deep in icy water," he writes, "gave me a terrible cold and cough. It grew worse daily. Finally the best doctors in Oakland, Neb., Sioux City and Omaha said I had consumption and could not live. Then I began using Dr. King's New Discovery and was wholly cured by six bottles" Positively guaranteed for coughs, colds and all throat and lung troubles by L. Taggart. Price 50c. apr

It was the greatest surprise party Aggie ever went up against.

A Spring Tonic.

Everybody needs a tonic in the spring, at this time the system craves a tonic. It is housecleaning time for your body. Lichty's Celery Nerve Compound will tone up your nerves, blood, kidneys and liver, and fill you with health and energy. Sold by L. Taggart. apr

It was a sort of a wooden horse trick they played on Aggie.

He Kept His Leg.

Twelve years ago J. W. Sullivan, of Hartford, Conn., scratched his leg with a rusty wire. Inflammation and blood poisoning set in. For two years he suffered intensely. Then the best doctors urged amputation, "but," he writes, "I used one bottle of Electric Bitters and 1½ boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve and my leg was sound and well as ever." For eruptions, eczema, tetter, salt rheum, sores and all blood disorders Electric Bitters has no rival on earth. Try them, L. Taggart will guarantee satisfaction or refund money. Only 50 cents. apr

It's too bad about Meiklejohn, but we cannot all be Senators.

The Best Cold Cure

is one you can take without interruption to business. One that does not effect the head or hearing like the continued use of quinine. One that cures speedily and leaves you feeling fresh and clear-headed. Such a one is Krause's Cold Cure.

Price 25c. Sold by L. Taggart. apr

No doubt, after all, Aguinaldo is glad that he is out of the woods.

Job Couldn't Have Stood It

If he'd had itching piles. They're terribly annoying, but Bucklin's Arnica Salve will cure the worst case of piles on earth. It has cured thousands. For injuries, pains or bodily eruptions it's the best salve in the world. Price 25c a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by L. Taggart. apr

The only ex-President that Bryan approves of has been captured.

Jangling Nerves.

Are you irritable? Do you sleep badly? Is it hard to concentrate your thoughts? Is your appetite poor? Do you feel tired, restless and despondent? Try Lichty's Celery Nerve Compound. It will do you more good than any thing you have ever tried.

Sold by L. Taggart. apr

A book by Funston now would sell for more than that of Web Davis.

'Tis Easy to Feel Good.

Countless thousands have found a blessing to the body in Dr. King's New Life Pills, which positively cure constipation, sick headache, dizziness, jaundice, malaria, fever and ague and all liver and stomach troubles. Purely vegetable; never gripe or weaken. Only 25c at L. Taggart's. apr

Not all the courts in Kentucky are willing to be overridden by Goebelism.

See a woman in another column picking grapes for Speer's wines. Read all about it. Excellent for weakly persons and the aged particularly for females. 50-8t

Heller's Testimony.

Albert Heller, living at 1114 Farnham St., Omaha, says: "I have tried most every thing that is used as a preventative or cure for headache, but nothing did me so much good as Krause's Headache Capsules. Others who have used them say the same thing."

Price 25c. Sold by L. Taggart. apr

Honor Roll of Emporium Schools.

The following are the names of those missing no days during month of March:

HIGH SCHOOL.—Fred Lloyd, Guy Klees, Elmer Baxter, J. M. Bair, Lora McQuay, Margaret Nickler, Iva Leet, Olive Maloy.

GRAMMAR GRADE.—Dan Welch, Andrew Zwald, Russel McQuay, Frank Nangle, George Mankey, Linn Strayer, Jay Nangle, Carl Mankey, Myrtle Lloyd, Christie McDonald, Edith Heilman, Jane Kaye, Sadie Edwards, Myrtle Kautz, Julia Hogan, Emma Ellis, Vera Olmsted, Elizabeth Lechner, Lulu Shnyder, William Gantz, Raymond Klees.

A INTERMEDIATE.—Martha Schlecht, Floyd Faucett, Frank Dodson, Emma Kraft, Mary Welch, Edith DeArmit, Kathryn Hogan, Bessie Shearer, Torrence Barner, Charlot Spence.

B INTERMEDIATE.—Florence Cleary, Howell Burnell, Dora Stevens, John Welch, Joe Hacket, Evard Klock, Earl McDougall, Frank McCaslin, Leo Nangle, Rosa Danforth, Vera Spence, Magdalene Mankey, Mary Farrell, Nellie Swartz, Wayne Barner.

Thos. Cummings, Chas. Jessop, Clyde Fisher, Burton Edwards, Clair Craven, Herbie Vogt, Perry Harbot, John Robinson, Chas. Farrel, Harry Fountain, Alfred Zwald, Boyd Shnyder, Thos. Bailey, Willie Welsh.

A PRIMARY.—Annie Welsh, Maggie Kelley, Sophy Ruberto, Nina Hertig, Phebie Hacket, Cora Hacket, Nora Grace, May McCullough, Margaret Dodson, Esther Nystrom, Lierda Bogart, Earl Palmer, George Fetter, Erick Nystrom, Harry Shearer, Charlie Foster, Clyde Foster, Clyde Thomas, Ronald Rieck, Harold Jewel, Eddie Baldwin.

A PRIMARY, W. W.—George Barker, Ellen Auchu, Claude Campbell, Elizabeth Crandall, John Ellis, Etta Fetter, Russell Evans, Pearl Goss, Pearl McGrain, Carol Hout, Warner Judd, Mabel Morrison, Hilda Swanson, Matthew Lawler, Joe McNarney, Louisa Welsh, Clinton Newton, Samuel Shadman, Harold Gross, Howard Pepperman, Gordon Vogt, Max Spence, Lenford Johnson.

Francis Robinson, Harry Hogan, Lloyd Swartz, Minnie Fetter, Dawson Wright, Frank Farrell, Geo. Rishell, Jay Gross, Katie Murray, Clara Weisenfluh, Lizzie Zwald, Rena Jordan, Lawrence Goodyear, Gerald Horning, Carl Carlson, Annie Kelly, Marshall Patterson, Frank Bailey, Clyde Fetter, Henry Streich.

Lloyd Johnston, Clark Metzger, Harry Spence, Clara Zwald, Gertrude Pepperman, John Lawler, Samuel Kline, Margaret Streich, Clyde Swartz, Boyd Fetter, Charles Spence.

B PRIMARY, E. W.—Edward Viner, Neal Coppersmith, Robert Leitze, Chas. Cummford, Willie Nelson, Oscar Foster, John Hertig, William Grace, Henry Schweikart, Cameron Roberto, Edwin Olson, Ophelia Dodson, Ruth Seifreid, Kathryn Welsh, Gladys Krebs, Elva Shugart, Kathryn O'Malley, Rose Quinn, Mary Quinn, Marion Barnes.

COURT PROCLAMATION.—WHEREAS:—The Hon. CHAS. A. MAYER President Judge and the Hons. JOHN MCDONALD and GEO. A. WALKER, Associate Judges of Courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Orphans' Court and Court of Common Pleas for the county of Cameron have issued heir precept bearing date the 26th day of January A. D., 1901, and to me directed for holding Court of Oyer and Terminer, General Jail Delivery, Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Orphans' Court, and Court of Common Pleas, in the Borough of Emporium, Pa., on Monday, the 22d day of April, 1901, at 2 o'clock, p. m., and to continue one week.

Notice is hereby given to the Coroners, Justices of the Peace and Constables within the county, that they be then and there in their proper persons, at 2 o'clock, p. m., of said day, with their rolls, records, inquisitions, examinations, and other rememberances, to do those things which to their offices appertain to be done. And those who are bound by their recognizance to prosecute against them as will be just.

Dated at Emporium, Pa., March 25, 1901, and in the 125th year of the Independence of the United States of America.

J. D. SWOPE, Sheriff.

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